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Schmidt Is Willing to Station Neutron Bombs in Germany

BONN, April 12 (UPI)—Chan-cellor Helmut Schmidt said for the first time in a speech released today that West Germany is willing to have the United States statioo neutron bombs on its territory.

He laid down two conditions:

approval by NATO and the stationing of the weapon in another country as well as West Germany. Mr. Schmidt endorsed the neufrom bomb at a meeting yesterday of the members of parliament of his Social Democratic party, some of whom have spoken strongly against its medium to the control of the co on ransome of his 5-b oher. One in the work

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His remarks were released today. a day before a parliamentary de-bate on the bomb demanded by the opposition Christian Democratic party. Mr. Schmidt was scheduled in make a government declaration tomorrow on the bomb and he paved the way for it by his speech to the Social Democratic members of the Bundestag.

2 Other Victims Freed

Italy Reports No Progress In Its Search for Moro

ROME, April 12 (AP)-Police His party rejected his appeals and ill-claims or last night freed two persons appar-ently abducted for ransom by the same gang hut reported no progress in the search for former Premier Aldo Moro and the political terrorists holding him.

Michela Marconi, the 17-yearold daughter of a huilder, was rescued after 40 days in captivity, and Angelo Apolioni, a 32-year-old construction man missing for 28 days, was freed several hours later.

The police overpowered a man and rescued Miss Marconi from a house on the outskirts of Rome. Mr. Apolloni was rescued, hand-

cuffed, from the trunk of a car in which three men apparently were taking him from one hideout to another. The men ran a roadblock, traded shots with the police and escaped on foot. Mr. Apolloni was slightly wounded in the shootout. MI NAV G Police said that the kidnappers had cut off the tip of his little finger and apparently sent it to his family to prove that they were holding

him.

"I firmly believe that the kidnappers of Apolloni and Miss Marcont are right and Miss Marcom are members of the same an investigating judge late DNNFT WA

Drugs Suspected

A leading Italian neurologist said that Mr. Moro's kidnappers probably are dosing him with the kind of psychic drugs used by the Russians

on interned dissidents.

Prof. Alessandro Agnoli said in an interview that he based his conclusion on changes in the handwrit-

ing of the 61-year-old president of the Christian Democratic party. Prof. Agnoli said that he com-pared Mr. Moro's handwriting in letters he wrote before the Red Brigades abducted him on March 16

and the two letters and an eight-page statement by him released by his terrorist captors.

There is an odorless and taste-less drug, Laloperidole, which is reportedly used on Soviet dissidents and which causes the person who has taken it to become almost an object in the hands of those who hold him. It also affects the

handwriting," Prof. Agnoli said. Childish Writing

"The handwriting becomes childish, similar to the one the same person had as a schoolboy. The letters become distorted and badly lined up. Twenty drops a day are enough to extend these effects for 48 hours. "It is a kind of drug that is also administered to schizophrenic pa-tients to spare them hallucinations and deliriums. The patients become like those suffering from Parkin-son's disease, the degenerative dis-ease, with stiff muscles and a tremor. This also affects the brain. One thinks slowly and making any decision becomes difficult and

Patronal cuals Mr. Moro's handwritten letters, which the government says are authentic, appealed for the release

Carter Greets Ceausescu

States despite differing social sys-

House South Lawn, Mr. Carter

Begin Reported Healthy

JERUSALEM, April 12 (AP)-Prime Minister Menachem Begin. checkup today and was pro-

that Mr. Schmidt's previous failure to support the neutron bomb contributed to President Carter's decision to postpone its production. He said that Mr. Schmidt had surren-said. dered to the left wing of the Social Democrats. Mr. Carter's indecision oo pro-

duction of the bomb apset the Bonn government, and Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher went to Washington last week to urge him to reconsider. But publicly the government took no stand on the bomb until Mr. Schmidt's

Mr. Schmidt said that the United States in talks with West Germany going back to last autumn took the position that the bomb would be valuable in disarmament negotiations with the Soviet Union only if were actual plans to build the bomh and station it in Europe.

said that he was obviously making them under duress. But many be-

lieve that he has been broken by

mental torture, drugs or other

Despite a nationwide dragnet, police have reported no leads to the hideout in which Mr. Moro is being

held or to those holding him. But his kidnapping is believed to be part of the terror campaign with which the Red Brigades promised

to sabotage the trial in Turin of 15

Authorities say that fear of the

terrorists is spreading. Genoa po-lice said that officials of a bank

there were so frightened that they handed over 80 million lire

(\$88,000) in cash to a smartly dressed man who entered the bank Monday, displayed a-pistol under his jacket and told them: "I'm a

eashier from the Red Brigades. My

name is Parodi and I've been sent

members of their gang.

Democratic leader, has charged ment as conditions for its stationing named a common decision of the Atlantic community and that the weapon should not be stationed

Change Denied

"This is the position of the Ger-man government and it has not changed since January." Mr. Schmidt's speech reflected the government position that the bomb would help deter Soviet ag-gression and be a trump card in disarmament talks.

"There is a Soviet superiority in Europe in weapons with a Europe-an range and in tanks," he said. Therefore we need as a result of disarmament control negotiations for a balance of military forces in

Europe, too."
Mr. Carter's indecision on the bomb hurt German-U.S. relations important ally,



Chancellor Helmut Schmidt

but Mr. Schmidt told the party meeting: "The security of Europe, the Federal Republic of Germany and of Berlin is inconceivable with out the cocoperation of our most



Michela Marconi is hugged by parents after her rescue.

Cambodia Claims New Vietnam Attacks

five areas along its 750-mile border have been enemies for centuries, but claimed that it killed hundreds Victnam said nothing to of the attackers and sent the rest about the border situation. Cambodia did not men

Phnom Penh radio said that the attacks, backed by tanks and

planes, started Friday.

Thai military intelligence sources confirmed that there was fighting in some border areas and said it might be continuing northwest of the Vietnamese city of Tay Ninh. But they could not determine if the incidents signaled a full-scale invasion or merely Vietnamese attempts to dilute Cambodian troop concentrations along the border.

Most Indochina analysts here do oot expect a Vietnamese invasion of Cambodia. Some said that the latest fighting might be retaliation for Cambodian raids on Vietnamese border villages.

The last reported major Cambo-dian attack on Vietnam was April 17 of last year, the anniversary of the 1975 Communist victory in Cambodia.

If the Cambodian reports are true, the fighting would be the heaviest since Vietnamese forces swept into Cambodia late last year

TUC Opposes Restraint

LONDON, April 12 (AP-DJ)-Britain's Trades Union Congress (TUC) reaffirmed today its opposi-tion to a fourth year of wage restraint. General secretary Len Murray said that it is "our intention to return in an orderly way to voluntary free-collective bargain-

pendence and sovereignty of all

After the half-hour ceremony,

states in the area.

WASHINGTON, April 12 (AP)- ship in the Warsaw Pact. He said President Carter today welcomed that Romania serves as a bridge be-Romanian President Nicolae tween highly divergent countries Ceausescu to the White House and and he praised Mr. Ceausescu's praised him as a great leader of a role in promoting direct talks begreat country which shares many tween Israel and Egypt late last common beliefs with the United Mr. Ceausescu replied by outlining his proposals for a comprehen-

At a ceremony on the White sive Middle East peace settlement. He called for a total Israeli withtook note of Romania's close ties drawalitory, the establishment of an independent Palestinian state with the West despite its memberand measures to ensure the inde-

the two leaders and their top aides began discussions that were expect-64, underwent a thorough heart ed to center on trade, world security and Romania's human rights

Vietnam said nothing today

Cambodia did not mention its own casualties. Analysts in Bangkok said that Cambodian claims of Vietnamese casualties appeared to be exaggerated.

According to the broadcast, Cambodia wiped out two Vietnamese regiments north of Tay Ninh, knocked out 19 tanks, shot down an aircraft in Prey Veng Province and routed a Vietnamese division in Kampot.

Weapons From China

Thai and Western intelligence sources said that there has been an increase in weapons sent to Cambodia by its major backer. China,

By Jay Mathews

lippine President Ferdinand Mar-cos said today that recent demon-strations against his government had been led by subversives and

people under the influence of drugs. He said that police would

especially for foreign journalists in nine months, Mr. Marcos defended

the April 7 National Assembly elec-

tion against charges of fraud. He said that his political opponents had engaged in "paying for voters and bribing [poll] watchers" and that what few cases of fraud might

be blamed on his people did "not

alter the results of an election with

Mr. Marcos called the press con-

ference after be and his aides com-

plained of one-sided foreign press

coverage, particularly in The Wash-

ington Post and The New York

rights advocates in the U.S. Con-

gress, which may decide on increas-

Philippine bases later this year.

compensation for the use of

millions of votes."

In his first press conference held

continue to restrain such protests.

MANILA, April 12 (WP) Phi-

BANGKOK. April 12 (AP)— in a border war that began shortly and reported movement of Viet-cambodia said today that division— after the 1975 Communist victories sized Vietnamese units attacked in both countries. The two peoples nam to the south.

Vietnam recently broadcast a radio appeal to Cambodian soldiers to turn their guns on their leaders and Thai intelligence sources said today that Vietnamese are dropping leaflets in Cambodia urging commanders to surrender, promising them better conditions.

Vietnamese propaganda harps on the hardships and brutal nature of the regime in Cambodia.

A senior Western diplomat, who speculated that the Vietnamese might be staging another major military thrust, said: "This is the iron fist coming back. I think the Victnamese are running out of patience with trying to ocgotiate."

Cambodia rejected a Vietnamese offer to negotiate a settlement in

21 Reported Killed

Beirut Arab Force Fires At Slums to Halt Fighting Arab League peace-keeping force today fired tank cannons and rockets in a bid to crush four days of clashes in Moslem and Christian Civilians were killed during the invasion. Israeli comments beyond Israeli lines

slums. There were reports that Christians were taking the brunt of

A woman in the Christian quarter, reached by telephone, said: "Rockets are raining on us. The upper floor of the building has been devastated, the water reservoir is destroyed. We're abandoning the apartment to go to an air raid

Residents of the Moslem district said that the Syrian-dominated Arab peace-keeping force was not aiming its shells. A Syrian officer said that his men were showing no

Police said that at least 21 per-sons had been killed and more than 90 wounded in the fighting between snipers in the Christian district, Ain al-Rummaoch, and the Moslem neighborhood of Shiyah. All but 47 of the wounded were discharged from hospitals.

The sniping continued despite a cease-fire ordered yesterday by the leaders of the various Christian militia armies after Syria hinted that it might pull its units of the peace-keeping force out of Leba-non. Two Syrian and two Sudanese soldiers were wounded trying in halt the fighting.

In Jerusalem yesterday, Prime Minister Menachem Begin told his parliament's Foreign Affairs and curity Committee that the establishment of a UN peace-keeping force on Israel's northern border has been a political achievement, hut that its long-range effectiveness is still in doubt,

The UN force was dispatched by the Security Council after Israel in-vaded southern Lebanon to drive Palestinian guerrillas from bases they used for forays into Israel, Mr. Begin said that he was satisfied that the UN forces, which are replacing the Israelis in the south, "mean

Willing to Fight

He said that their willingness to fight was demonstrated in two hatand French UN troops, noting that they are being armed with light tanks, armored cars and heavy

Israeli officials had expressed concern that UN troops would be unable to stop the guerrillas from returning to southern Lebanoo as Israeli forces withdrew.

Israeli troops yesterday began a limited pullback from southern Lebanon along the northeastern fringe of the 500-square-mile zone they have occupied since March 15 and turned nine posts over to Norwegian UN units. Another small pullback is scheduled Friday in the central sector along the Litani, 18 miles oorth of the Israeli

Mr. Begin said that the invasion pushed the guerrillas oorth of the Litani River and destroyed their major bases in southern Lebanon, adding that buge weapons dumps were captured or destroyed.

At Press Conference for Foreign Journalists

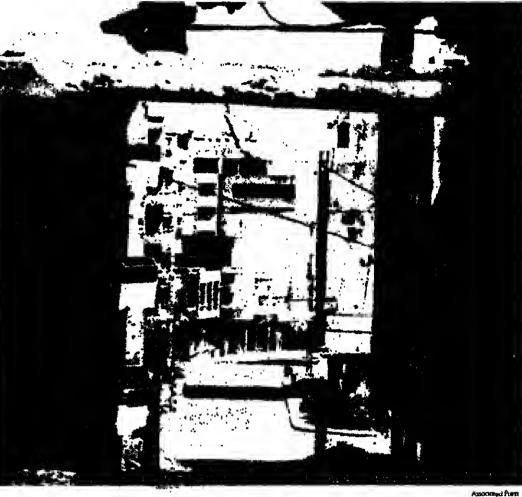
Marcos Defends Vote, Says Marchers Were Drugged

said that the army found the bodies of 200 civilians and estimated that about 100 more were killed in occu-

pied areas. But they admitted that

About 300 guerrillas were killed in the fighting, the sources said, while 23 Israeli soldiers were killed in action and 6 in accidents.

was killed in a clash with guerrillas in the western sector of the occu-pied salient, the Israeli military command said. Three of the accident victims died when their half-(Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)



As seen from a home in Beirut's Moslem sector that was damaged during Syrian shelling of UN peace-keeping forces, St. Maroun Street on Christian side is empty of traffic and pedestrians.

Demand His Return

Russians Claim CIA Is Holding UN Aide

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., April 12 (AP)—The Soviet Union today accused the CIA of holding Arkady Shevchenko under duress, demanded that he be handed over and said that the press is covering up U.S. involvement in the disap-pearance of the leading Soviet UN

But Mr. Shevchenko's U.S. lawyer said that he is in voluntary seclusion near New York and that he will stay in hiding until he can see Secretary-General Kurt Wal-dheim, who is expected back from Europe this weekend.
[Mr. Waldheim said in Vienna

today that Mr. Shevchenko had informed him that he would quit his service to the UN Secretariat. 1"He will therefore no longer be

a member of the UN staff and his

tween the Soviet government and the United States authorities," Mr. spokesman Tom Reston said. Waldheim said. The secretary-general said, "l

knew nothing about this case. It came as a surprise to me. The first thing I heard was that he got in contact with my office in New York saying that he had decided oot to return to the Soviet Union."] "I am sure he will come home to

us," a young woman identifying herself as Mr. Shevchenko's daughter said in Moscow, reacting to re-ports that he wanted to stay in the United States.

The State Department today denied that the United States was his own. holding Mr. Shevchenko against his "In co

er question that he was not criticiz-

ing reporters who were simply in-

His generally conciliatory atti-tude toward the foreign journalists present was oot shared by some of his aides, however. Secretary of Na-

tional Defense Juan Enrile said in

an audible whisper, "That's an iosult, by God," when a U.S. jour-

oalist began to ask Mr. Marcos if

he planned to issue a statement of his net worth. Mr. Marcos told the

questioner, who had referred to ru-mors of his enriching himself in off-

ice, that "I will not do it because an

American tells me to do so" and

said that he felt the foreign press

had no business putting a presi-

A Marcos aide sitting next to

Imelda Marcos in the back of the

dining hall at Malacanang Palace

said, "You liar," when another U.S.

reporter began to ask about alleged

dent under indictment."

voting frauds.

terviewing marchers.

"He is free to stay, return to the Soviet Union or go to another

Shevchenko was not framed and he is not being detained against his will," Mr. Reston said. The Soviet Mission's statement

"Circumstances surrounding the

"This was not a provocation

disappearance of A.N. Shevchenko leave no doubt that he has been the victim of a premeditated provoca-tion and that the U.S. intelligence services have been directly involved in this detestable frameup.

"It is also clear that at present he is in the hands of those services under duress and is unable to act on "In concection with this outra-

geous provocation, the Soviet Union has registered a strong protest with the government of the United States and demanded that Soviet citizen A.N. Shevchenko be re-turned to the U.S.S.R. The Soviet mission to the United Nations has been in touch on this matter with

the UN secretary-general."

Tass added today: "The propaganda campaign which is being conducted in the American press around the Shevchenko case obviously is designed to cover up the shady activities of [intelligence The State Department confirmed

that the Soviet Embassy in Washington had lodged a formal protest (Continued on Page 2, Col. 5)

Somalia Says 20 Died in Recent Coup Attempt

MOGADISHU, Somalia, April 12 (UPI)—President Mohammed Siad Barre said today that 20 loyal officials were killed and another 34 wounded in last weekend's abortive coup attempt against his govern-

The majority of the army plotters were quickly rounded up but a few escaped an army dragnet and were still on the run, Mr. Siad Barre said in releasing the first official details of Sunday's ouster attempt.

Mr. Barre praised the army's role in crushing the coup. "The traitors," he said, " destroyed a limited number of vehicles, equipment

"The objective of the traitors in this critical stage through which the country is passing was to hand over the country to colonialism and blow the nation's stability sky

strength of the opposition vote in

Philippine President Ferdinand Marcos at news conference yesterday.

After weeks of allowing fairly his disappointment at violent acts unrestrained protests during the reported to him from an April 6 election, he cracked down on two "noise barrage" called by the oppoopposition demonstrations in the sition at the end of their unsuccesslast week. He appeared sensitive to ful election campaign. We permitthe effect that the resulting news ted the demonstration ... We kepl accounts might have on human the police off the streets and look what happened," Mr. Marcos said, "They denied several vehicles carrying [pro-Marcos] stickers, they forced people to give the [opposi-tion's cienched fist] sign." He emphasized what he said was

were apparently drugged or high on drugs" and he made the same statement about some of the nearly 600 arrested in a peaceful protest march Sunday. An opposition spokesman said he knew of no drug use by demonstrators.

martial law, Mr. Marcos said he

He said that some of the people felt that "I should be more prudent arrested for the April 6 protest and caunous in dismantling the forces that enforce the law." Mr. Marcos repeated, in re-

After experimenting with curbs Sunday's march. He said he was on the police in the sixth year of studying pictures of the demonstra-Sunday's march. He said he was tion, hut said in response to anoth-

sponse to a question, what he said were police reports that foreign journalists "were actively guiding

"I am willing to say that some people should be punished, but to

go from there and say the whole election is a fraud is going too far." Mr. Marcos said. The Commission on Elections yesterday disallowed several opposition protests, including charges that in some precincts the number of votes had exceeded the number of registered voters.

Mr. Marcos acknowledged that he had noticed the growing

Japanese-Soviet Relations Seen Cooling

By Craig R. Whitney MOSCOW, April 12 (NYT)— Japanese-Soviet relations, which have never been warm, are growing rapidly cooler as Japan moves toward closer economic and politi-cal ties with China.

Japanese diplomats here expect the deterioration to accelerate if, as expected. Tokyo and Peking decide this month to resume negotiations later on a treaty of peace and friendship. The talks were suspended in 1975 after the Chinese insisted on a clause rejecting attempts by third powers to achieve "hegemony" in Asia — by which they meant their main ideological and territorial adversary, the Soviet Union. The Soviet reading — which, according to reports from Tokyo, is correct — is that the Japanese are willing to accept some form of the clause even if it displeases the Russians.

In January, Moscow tried wooing the Japanese with a friendship treaty of its own. After Tokyo rejected it in February, the Soviet press published the text and began a barrage of denunciations. And in the last two weeks, the Japanese the last two weeks, the Japanese have been accused of secretly preparing to arm themselves with atomic weapons. The Soviet Army newspaper. Krusnaya Zvezda, said: "Japanese imperialism is rearing its head."

Hopes Dimmed

The preoccupation of the Russians with the Chinese has increased considerably since then, as the new leadership under Hua Kuo-feng and Teng Hsiao-ping dimmed any hopes Moscow had for

Embassy Sit-ins In San Salvador

SAN SALVADOR, April 12 (AP)—Demonstrators occupied the Venezuelan, Panamanian and Costa Rican Embassies yesterday to protest military action against antigovernment peasants in Cuscatlan Province last month in which 29 persons were reported killed.

The protesters said they would not leave until embassy officials denounced the Salvadoran govern-

About 25 persons walked into each embassy and sat down. Riot police gathered outside the buildings but no trouble was reported.

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tung.

The stepped-up Soviet campaign against Japan is largely a reflection of this concern, although relations have long been troubled by the legacy of the belated Soviet entry into the Pacific in World War II, nine days before the Japanese surrender days before the Japanese surrender in August, 1945.

Moreover, the Russians still hold four tiny islands in the Kurile chain that were seized then, and they in-sist after 33 years that Japan has no claim to them. Successive Japanese governments have refused to con-clude a peace treaty until the islands are returned. Moscow last re-jected the demand in January dur-ing a visit by Foreign Minister Sunao Sonoda.

Treaty Published

A month later, the Soviet press published the draft of the treaty on "good neighborliness and coopera-tion," which Mr. Sonoda has reportedly refused to discuss until a peace treaty is agreed upon. The publication — highly unusual for are \$3 billion worth of governmentthe Russians - seems to bave offended the Japanese.

"Reaction at home was very critical," a Japanese diplomat said, "and I think it backfired." For their part, Soviet officials

still have not forgiven the Japanese for welcoming a Soviet pilot who

Florida Must Return Hoard

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., April 12 (UPI)—The State of Florida has been ordered to hand over more than \$2.3 million in ancieut Spanish treasure which federal courts say belongs to the men who found it. The historical value of the trea-sure recovered from a sunken galleon — gold, coins, pottery, jewelry and artifacts — is beyond measure, officials said.

U.S. marshals said that they ex-pect to start hauling out today items such as an astrolabe, an ancient navigational instrument val-ued at \$500,000.

Florida's secretary of state, Bruce Smathers, who has charge of the museum and archives, indicated through an attorney. Jack Shreve, that be will try to persuade the fed-eral District Court in Tallahassee to stay the order of a Miami federal

ideological and political reconcilia-tion after the death of Mao Tse-an advanced MiG-25 plane, which

an advanced (shot2) praire, which the Japanese gave 10 U.S. intelligence experts for analysis despite strong Soviet objections.

Japan and China have since moved closer to a treaty of reconciliation. In February they concluded a 200-billion trade agreement ed a \$20-billion trade agreement for the next eight years. And Pre-mier Takeo Fukuda apparently is preparing the way for the treaty talks to reopen; Mr. Sonoda soon will be going to Peking.

Trade Flourishes

Unlike the United States, Japan and the Soviet Union have separated their political quarrels from their trade relations. Japanese officials say that Soviet trade amount-ed to \$3.36 billion last year, double the U.S.-Soviet amount.

"Your big problem," Masaaki Ninomiya, the Moscow representa-tive of Mitsui trading, said, "is that your Export-Import Bank can't give credits for your exports here. Ours does." Japanese officials say that there

underwritten credits for exports to the Soviet Union, which rose from less than \$500 million in 1973 to \$2.5 billion in 1976. In 1974, Congress forbade the Export-Import Bank from granting such credits until the Soviet Union relaxed its restrictions on emigration.

Most of the obstacles to greater Soviet-Japanese trade are not political but practical and economic, except for a long-simmering dispute about fishing in the northwestern Pacific, where both countries claim 200-mile coastal zones. Since 1973. Soviet officials have tried to interest Japanese concerns in multibillion-dollar deals to exploit Siberian natural gas, coal and oil reserves in return for part of the production.

Like West European companies, Japanese traders have done a big business in industrial plants, chemical manufacturing equipment and pipe for the gas lines that the Russians are building to Eastern Europe. But orders have fallen off in the last year.

This year, the Japanese believe, prices rather than politics will decide whether trade picks up again.
They are worried about the decline
of the dollar — the Russians' preferred medium of foreign exchange
— because it forces them to raise

"So far our business basn't been affected by politics," Kameiobu Orita, manager of the Mitsubishi office, said, "and I bope it stays

Cairo Ex-Envoy Jailed in Calif.

SANTA MONICA, Calif., April 12 (UPI)-Riad Ghali, a former Egyptian diplomat, was sentenced yesterday to stale prison for 1 to 15 years for the December, 1976, killing of his estranged wife, an Egyp-

tian princess.
Ghali, 57, pleaded no contest March 1 to a charge of involuntary manslaughter in the shooting of Princess Fathia Ghali, 45.

His attorney said the plea was of-fered despite Ghali's contention that he could remember nothing of the shooting because of a self-in-flicted gunshot wound in his head.

Death Penalty Vetoed in N.Y

ALBANY, N.Y., April 12
(NYT)—Terming capital punishment "the ultimate deception,"
Gov. Hugh Carey yesterday vetoed a bill to restore the death penalty.

The court ruled yesterday.

The court reversed the conviction of Michael Authelet for com-

Senate responded by saying that be into the woods after an alleged had enough votes to override the street disturbance in Warwick in veto there, but the Assembly sponsor said that he was still three votes in the ruling, Justice Thomas sbort of the two-thirds majority Kelleher cited a U.S. Supreme



Carmen Franco tells newsmen in Madrid that she was not smuggling jewels out of Spain.

Franco's Daughter Denies Smuggling Charge

national treasure.

ANTWERP, Belgium, April 12 (AP)-Four men have been arrested in connection with the kidnap-ping-murder of multimillionaire Baron Charles-Victor Bracht, police reported today.

Police said that the four men had

gle jewelry out of spain.

Madrid, April 12 (AP)-Carmen Franco, the ter of the late Spanish dictator Francisco France.

She said that the 31 gold and diamond medals

that were taken from her as she was about to leave

the country were intended "to embellish a gold clock I was going to have made [in Switzerland] for

today dismissed reports that she had tried to smug-

not been charged. They said that one of the four lived in Schoten, the Antwerp suburb where the Bracht family's chateau is located. The other three also are from the Antwerp area, police sources said. The baron's son, Theodore

Bracht, managing director of the Hong Kong Said

HONG KONG, April 12 (UPI)-Overcrowded urban areas of Hong Kong are a paradise for rats, according to a pest control official.

Rats Paradise

The situation in Hong Kong is that food and shelter are freely available to rodents in all parts of the urban areas," said Grace Ho, chairman of the environmental hy-giene committee of the urban coun-

"No amount of effort by way of direct control measures - for example, the use of poison and traps - will ever have more than a transitory effect on the problem," she said. Last year, the council received 3,888 rodent-infestation complaints, compared with 3,668 compaints in 1976 and 3,522 in 1975, she said.

'Fighting Word' **Key to Curses**

PROVIDENCE, R.I., April 12 (UPI)—A Rhode Island law that prohibits cursing and swearing can

The court reversed the convic-tion of Michael Authelet for com-The bill's sponsor in the State ments to police who chased him

needed to override.

"Retribution is not the same as punishment, and official killing is "fighting words which by their very not, in my judgment, a proper or utterance ... tend to incite an immediate the same as "The words when the same as "The words which be a same as "The words when the same as "The words w hegitimate exercise of a governdiate breach of peace." The words
ment." Mr. Carey said in a 600must also have a tendency to cause
word veto message. The Legislature
passed the bill with heavy majoriwhom the remark is addressed, Mr. Kelleher said.

family holding company, said in a 9:30 a.m. near his car, that be had statement: "It has been clearly especially parked in its usual parking tablished that my father was murdered on March 7, 1978, at about

Russia Sees Plot by CIA

(Continued from Page 1) and said that Soviet Ambassador Anatoli Dobrynin discussed the matter vesterday with Secretary of State Cyrus Vance.

Mr. Shevchenko left his \$76,000a-year post a week ago because of what he called "differences with his government." a UN spokesman announced Monday.

His lawyer, Ernest Gross, said that Mr. Shevchenko refused to return to the Soviet Union because of "political and personal differences" with his government, but "has no intention of defecting. He has told me that he is a Soviet citizen and intends to remain a Soviet citizen."

Reported Nearby

Mr. Gross said that Mr. Shevchenko discussed his situation with Soviet officials at the lawyer's New York apartment and was now near the city awaiting an interview with Mr. Waldheim.

Mr. Shevehenko reportedly refused an order to return to the Soviet Union. His wife and teenage daughter have recently returned to Moscow.

The young woman who identified herself as Mr. Shevchenko's daughter, Anya, said today in Mos-cow that "my dad wouldn't ever want to stay in the United States." Reached by telephone, she said in English: "I am sure he will come home to us. He loves his mother-

land. He loves his family." Yesterday, Mr. Shevchenko's wife. Leongina claimed in a telephone call that her busband did not want to remain in the United States and that his disappearance was a "crude provocation" by U.S.

Quake in Indian Ocean

JAKARTA, April 12 (AP)—An earthquake with a magnitude of 6 on the Richter scale, believed to be in the Indian Ocean south of the lesser Sunda Island of Sumba, was recorded yesterday.

just parked in its usual parking place at a lot near his office in downtown Antwerp. My father was killed by a bullet

my mother." She said that the medals had been presented to her father by a number of Spanish provinces and that they were not part of Spain's

The wife of surgeon Marquis of Villaverde and mother of seven, said that the value of the medals

was "about 200,000 pesetas"(\$ 2,500). Agency reports had estimated the value at ten times that.

in the bead as be was struggling to resist his aggressors. This did not prevent them from negotiating for ransom for a full week after my father's death." He did not say how much the

kidnappers demanded but it was believed to be the equivalent of about \$2 million.

Soon after the abduction, police disclosed that they found bloodstains and tufts of hair at the scene,

Baron Bracht's body was found Monday in a marshy garbage dump near Antwerp after a telephone call to his son directed him to the wooded area. Police said that the out-of-the-way dump normally would not have been known to per-

U.S. Discloses Secret Data to Calm Ally Fears

sons foreign to the district.

WASHINGTON, April 12 (AP) In a rare move, the Pentagon has non was quiet, the only danger disclosed key language from a secret document to demonstrate that the United States has no intention of abandoning the North Atlantie Alliance flanks in a European war.

The action was taken as Defense Secretary Harold Brown headed for a weeklong visil to Europe that started today in Norway, which is concerned about its security on NATO's northern flank. The other flank of the alliance is the Mediter-

"We do not advocate abandondocument which provides guidance to the armed services on strategy.

attempt by the USSR to nibble on the flanks that both our allies and the USSR be convinced we have the resolve and the forces that can defend the flanks," the paper said.

Defense officials acknowleged that the secret document drafted by Pentagon analysts bad been rewrit-"remove any possible To Avoid Shelling

Israeli Border Villages Often Go Underground

By William Tuohy

is the children we worry about most." Moshe Shushan said. "How do you explain to them that same-one wants to kill them and that they have to spend their nights in the shelters?

"How do you answer their ques-tions when they ask, 'Did we do something wrong? Is there someone who doesn't like us? Is it our fault?" How do you explain, when a shell kills two of our people, that some-times you bave to die before your

Mr. Shushan, 40, is a member of a kibbutz of about 350 persons in northern israel, not far from Lebanon. Like other settlements here it has been hit by Palestinian shells from Lebanon. Two of its memfrom Lebanon. Iwo of its mem-bers, including one who helped found the kibbutz 35 years ago, were killed in an attack two weeks ago. Since then, the kibbutz has had random shelling.
All settlements in northern Israel

have concrete shelters, invariably brightly painted. When a rocket is heard coming everyone goes underground. "The children have their own shelters." Mr. Shushan said, taking a visitor into one of them. "There are posters, toys and teddy bears. These days, the children spend every night in a shelter."

Drive to the Litani

Lt. Gen. Mordechai Gur, the Israeli Army chief of staff, says that such shellings prompted the Israeli armed forces to invade southern Lebanon to advance to the Litani

Mr. Shushan, an immigrant from Morocco who has lived here eight years and has five children, took a break from supervising the kitchen and talked with a reporter.

"When the children ask us these difficult questions we try to tell the truth as we understand it," he said.
"And that is that we are living on this land, and the land is beautiful and we love it. But other people want this land, too, And they are trying to take it from us. We also tell them that not all Arabs are bad, only those who want to take our

homes from us.
"The ebildren have to get used to the fact that not everyone, as they thought, dies naturally of old age. It is difficult for them to realize that you can die prematurely and cruelly. But I think that once it is explained properly it doesn't leave any deep psychological scars on

Upper Galilee

Menara is at the edge of the lush Hulah Valley - also called Upper Galilee - in the strip of land that extends northward above Galilee Lake hetween the Golan Heights and the rocky escarpment that forms the border with Lebanon. The rich farmland here produces

cotton, avocados, eitrus, other fruit and poultry.

For years, the border with Lebacoming from the occasional shelling from Syria's Golan Heights to

the east. In the 1967 war, Israeli troops took the Golan Heights, ending that danger. But then the Palestinian guerrilla movement became active in southern Lebanon.

Artillery Range

Since then, particularly after the Palestinians were expelled from Jordan in 1970, the front with Lebanon has been a source of harassment by rockets and artillery ing the flanks of NATO," said the and the occasional terrorist foray into northern Israel.

Even now, with Israeli troops occupying most of Lebanon south of "It is important for the cohesion the Litani River, the northermost of NATO and the deterrents of any settlements in Israel are within artillery and rocket range of Palestinian positions north of the Litani near Beaufort Castle and the town of Nabatiyeh. The northern border had been

iet until the Israeli invasion of southern Lebanon in retaliation for a Palestinian guerrilla raid on the Tel Aviv-Haifa highway in which 33 Israelis were killed.

"But we are in favor of the

MENARA, Israel, April 12—"It invasion," Mr. Shushan said, "We see the children we worry about feel had about the suffering of the nost." Moshe Shushan said, "How lo you explain to them that same other side of the border last week and saw the destruction and suffering. But they should not have allowed the terrorists to base in the villages or have the headquarters so close to their own civilian population. Unfortunately, we believe that they are responsible for this.

"But we all hope that things will return to normal very soon. We think that the people who live in south Lebanon are good people." Los Augeles Times

Slums Hit In Beirut

track overturned during the pull back, it added.

(Continued From Page 1)

'Radioactive Particles'

DAMASCUS, April 12 (AP)—
Syria accused Israel today of "senously escalaring the Middle East conflict" by planting a boobytrapped eavesdropping device in Syria that exploded and emitted lethal "radioactive particles."

There was no immediate com-There was no immediate com-

ment from Israel on the charge. A Syrian government statement said that the device exploded April I near the Damascus-Jordan highway, killing 12 persons.

The statement, saying that Syria had complained to the United Nations of the statement of of the Stateme

Nations, charged Israel with a "barbaric and savage violation of international rules forbidding the use of such atomic cells in civilian territory," but it did not suggest that the device was an atomic bomb. The Syrians said that it was planted inside a radio receiver and emitted radioactive particles from atomic cells made in the United

Marcos Says Vote Fair

some areas. Still incomplete official returns in Manila showed that the opposition led by jailed former Sen. Benigno Aquino jr. taking 40 per cent of the vote in the city, but not winning any seats in the assembly because of a block voting provision in the balloting. This was a marked increase from the 10 per cent epposition vote registered in a December martial law referendum.

Mr. Marcos said that he wanted to find out if "the vote is against me, ugainst national policies, or is it a viste against local execulives. the harsbness of the military and the police, or is it a vote against the [pro-Marcos] :msclvcs?``

Future protest marches, he said, would be halted if they presented any threat of violence, "but if they just want to march to eburch to pray for my soul, that is probably

Police Hold 5 Sought In Oporto Shooting

OPORTO, Portugal, April 12 (AP)—Police said early today that they arrested five persons sought in the slaying of a detective and seized 14 submachine guns in a raid on the headquarters of an extreme leftist political group.

Police declined to identify those arrested, but said that the four men and a woman were charged with the sidewalk shooting last month of a detective who was searching for a bank robbery suspect. The five were said to belong to the Proleterian Revolutionary party, a Maoist



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White House Needs Fruitful Vance Trip

News Analysis

By Murrey Marder

(WP)-Secretary of State Cyrus jority rule, which is scheduled for Vance was to leave today for Africa Dec. 31. and the Soviet Union on missions The militant guerrilla leaders that are plagued with uncertainties have denounced this process as a and which take place at the lowest diplomatic prestige.

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tends the foreign travels of a secre-transition period. tary of state, hot on this trip expec-tations are so low, and the criticism of the administration's diplomacy intense, that any success schieved by Mr. Vance would be a

Mr. Vance's predecessor, Henry Kissinger, often publicly exaggerated the odds against accomplishing anything on his missions, thereby enhancing the results he privately expected to achieve. The self-effacing Mr. Vance, whose trips ahroad have been studded with obstacles, engages in no such gamesmanship.

An Unwarranted Risk

There are misivings inside the administratioo about the wisdom of even venturing on the first leg of Mr. Vance's journey, the African portion. Officials at many levels regard it as an unwarranted risk of Mr. Vance's prestige for him to plunge into a new round of talks in the Rhodesian political morass less than two weeks after his return from Africa with President Carter.

Although there is widespread be-lief that Mr. Vance is returning to Africa because the President was drawn into that commitment during his visit to Nigeria, a Vance associate insisted that this impression is totally incorrect."

Mr. Vance "created this trip," said the associate. "He hooestly believes that this is the last cast, and he is determined to make the effort" to head off the threat of a civil war between black factions in

It was announced yesterday that Mr. Vance and British Foreign Secretary David Owen inteod to proceed with their plans to visit Rhodesia on Sunday, despite the an-oounced refusal of Rhodesia's interim government to join an "allparties conference" to discuss the country's political future. Weak Position

This can leave Mr. Vance and

Mr. Owen in a weak bargaining position with both sides: the transi-tional government of Prime Minis-ter lan Smith and the three moderate black leaders who have joined him, and the leaders of the black Patriotic Front, which is conducting a guerrilla war against Rhodesia from neighboring countries. Nevertheless, a Vance associate

said that the interim government "has not slammed any doors about cootinuing to discuss the subject." Mr. Vance and Mr. Owen will

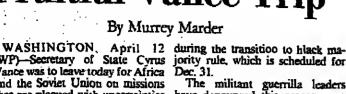
nia, with Patriotic Front leaders Joshua Nkomo and Rohert Mugabe, and presidents of the so-called front-line, black-ruled nations supporting the guerrilla war. These talks will be followed by discussions in Salishury with members of the new Rhodesian multiracial executive council: Mr. Smith, Bishop Abel Muzorewa, the Rev. Ndabaningi Sithole and Chief Jeremiah This council yesterday named

nine hlack ministers to serve with nine whites in a ministerial council

3 Boys Killed as Bus Overturns in Georgia

INAHA, Ga., April 12 (AP)—
Three of the 56 members of the Michigan Boys Clah were killed and dozens injured yesterday when their bus destined for Disney World skidded off a highway, slipped over and smashed into a three authorities said. tree, authorities said. The driver tried to hold the bus

on a banked right-hand curve lead-ing into a rest stop, but the hlowout of a wheel cylinder made it impossible to brake, police said.



sham. Under the U.S.-British plan point of the Carter administration's for Rhodesia, Mr. Smith's white minority government would have A sense of optimism usually at- been replaced at the outset of a

In addition to preparing for the African portion of his journey, Mr. Vance met yesterday with President Carter and other senior national security advisers oo negotiating stratboost to the beleaguered White egy for the Strategic Arms Limitation Talks.

The President, speaking yester-day to the American Society of Newspaper Editors, employed the more guarded language that he has been using recently about the prospects for completing the long-de-layed ouclear arms accord. I think we have a good prospect

this year of having success." he Mr. Vance told the same audi-

ence Monday that there is no expectation for concluding the SALT oegotiations in his visit to Moscow from April 19 to 22.

More Negotiating Needed

The Moscow discussions with Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev definitely will require further political decisions and negotiations, which, if successful, would conclude with a Carter-Brezhnev meeting.

A great deal will depend on the atmosphere that Mr. Vance encounters in Moscow, On April 7.

Mr. Brezhnev severely criticized the

counters in Moscow. On April 7.
Mr. Brezhnev severely criticized the
Carter administration for displaying "indecision, inconsistency" in
the SALT bargaming.

That criticism, coinciding with
extraordinarily similar public complaints from Western Europe about
Mr. Carter's handling of his decision on the production of neutron
weapons, has brought the adminis-

weapons, has brought the administration under the heaviest diplomatic crossfire since it entered off-ice. Mr. Vance's trip therefore turns into an unusual test of the administration's overall diplomatic capabil-

Congress Gets Limited Arms Data, GAO Says

WASHINGTON, April 12 (AP)—Congress sometimes has been given incomplete information about weapons, personnel and services involved in arms sales to African nations, the General Accounting Office reported yesterday. As a result, there have been cases

where Coogress was not told by the Defense Department that the arms purchasers also sought the services sonnel, according to the GAO. In another instance, Congress did not know that U.S. missiles sold to Morocco were to be used on French-made weapons, the GAO Without such information Con-

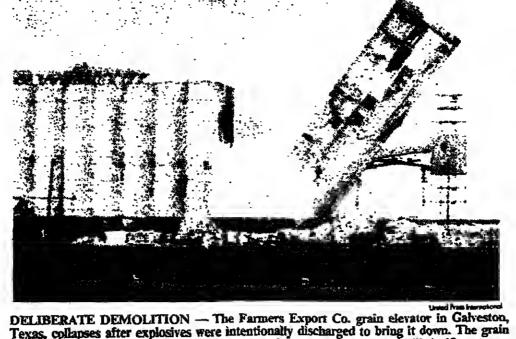
gress cannot have proper control over items transferred through the foreign military sales program or over weapons policy, according to the GAO. The report also said that U.S. credit policies facilitate foreign mi-

itary sales to Africa. Credit is granted to help less-developed na-tions make a transition from grant aid to military sales, the GAO said.

Cyprus Holds 4 More

state, raising the number of such detainees to 22. The latest to be arrested include

a captain and two privates of the Greek Cypriot National Guard and



elevator was badly damaged last December in an explosion that killed 18 persons.

Convict Testifies He Was Go-Between

Passman Linked to Foundation Payoffs

By George Lardner Jr.

WASHINGTON, April 12
that was new," Rep. Fenwick per-(WP)—Former House aide Stephen Elko told a congressional commit-tee yesterday that the Airlie Foundation's Murdock Head was so meticulous about cash payoffs to then-Rep. Otto Passman, D-La.

that he wrapped them in facial tis-sue to avoid fingerprints.

Summoned from federal prison to testify before the House Com-mittee on Standards of Official Conduct, Elko gave the first public testimony about the alleged payments to Mr. Passman between 1971 and 1973 for his help in obtaining federal funds for an Airlie Foundation project. Mr. Head has

denied making such payments.

Describing himself as the key gobetween, Elko told the committee that Mr. Passman increased the foreign-aid budger's family planning funds in 1972 hy \$75 million to make room for a \$5 million project that Mr. Head had in mind.

Asked why such a huge increase

was chosen, Elko replied:
"Well, it was right off the wall oo sense in messing around with figures in between." The final appropriation of \$125 million in family planning funds that year, he said, was, after all, the amount that Congress had authorized. Other people besides Mr. Head, the witness hint-

ed at one point, were interested in projects that called for similar funding from the Agency for International Development. Rep. Millicent Fenwick, R-NJ. expressed shock at the easy manner in which Elko described what he said was his first delivery of cash to Mr. Passman at Mr. Head's behest, sometime in the late spring of 1972.

"I just knew Mr. Passman real ell." Elko said, pointing out how they both had lived for years on the same floor of the Congressional Hotel here and often used to watch

U.S. to Consider Payments for **Sex Changes**

WASHINGTON, April 12 (AP)—The federal government will review whether Medicare should pay for some sex-change opera-tions, the secretary of health, edu-cation and welfare said yesterday. Joseph Califano jr., said he has

ordered his health financing chief, Rohert Derzon, to set up a panel of experts to review whether transsex-ual surgery is medically necessary in certain cases.

Medicare, which picks up hospital bills for the elderly and dis-

ahled, does not now pay for sex-

sisted. "I don't think that's anything un-

"Oh, Mr. Elko!" Rep. Fenwick

"Cantious' Inquiry

In other testimony before the committee, an Agriculture Department investigator told how lawyers there had concluded in the spriog of 1976 that Mr. Passman could be accused of extortion for allegedly threatening to cut all foreign aid to Korea unless a shipping agent he favored was designated for all the commissions on Food for Peace shipmenis to South Korea.

Niek Panos said, however, that he and another Agriculture Depart-ment official were told that the White House and the National Security Council wanted them to be "cautious" with their inquiry because of fears that Mr. Passman might sit on a foreign-sid appropri-ation for Israel. The inquiry was oever finished because higher officials in the Agriculture Department vetoed a trip to Korea for additional evidence oo the grounds that it wasn't necessary, Mr. Panos testi-Once the chairman of the House

Appropriations subcommittee for foreign aid, Mr. Passman was indicted on March 21 hy a federal grand jury on charges that he received \$213,000 in cash from Ko-

U.S. Is Assailed In Korea Panel

al Assembly accused the United States today of insulting their sovcreignty by allegedly installing se-cret listening devices in the office of President Park Chung Hee. Leading the attack at a session of the Foreign Affairs Committee was

Lee Chul Seung, the head of the op-position New Democracy party. He called on Foreign Minister Park Toog Jin to resign for failing to clicit what he called a satisfactory answer from the Carter administration on the hugging reports.

It was the committee's first day of debate on South Korea's worsening relations with the United

States. A resolution was expected to be adopted tomorrow urging the United States to officially clarify the bugging allegation.

Rock Group Rig Crashes

COLUMBUS, Ga., April 12 (AP)—Two persons were killed when a tractor-trailer hauling change operations.

But Mr. Califano, addressing a convention of newspaper editors, denied a report that Medicare had agreed to pay for a \$5,600 sexchange operation for a disabled San Diego man.

When a tractor-trailer hauling equipment for the Blue Oyster Cult rock group hit a car on the Chattahoochee River bridge yesterday, went through a guard railing and plunged into the river, the police said.

rean husinessman Tongsun Park for pressuring the South Korean

for pressuring the South Korean government to buy Louisiana rice through Mr. Park. Mr. Passman has denied the charges.

One of the counsels for the House committee, which has also been investigating the Korean influence-huying scandal, said that Elko was called because his testimooy about Mr. Passman strongly paralleled the pattern brought out paralleled the pattern brought out in the Korean investigation.
The Washington Post reported

last month that Elko had told fed-eral authorities Mr. Head handed him a total of \$40,000 to \$42,000 in the early 1970s for delivery to both Mr. Passman and to Elko's boss, Rep. Daniel Flood, D-Pa Elko's testimony yesterday was limited to Mr. Passman. Mr. Head, whose foundation

based in Warrenton, Va., serves as a conference center and has produced a variety of documentary films for government agencies, has denied early accounts of Elko's allegations and subsequently de-clined through his lawyers to com-

Quotas Working In Porpoise Kill

SAN OIEGO, April 12 (AP)— Oespite some initial resistance, the U.S. two fishing industry has found that it can live with government-imposed limits on porpoise The fishermen are making a real

effort out there," said Gerald Howard, regional director of the National Marine Fisheries Service. SEOUL April 12 (NYT)—Legisstrict enforcement of the Marine
Marmal Protection Act of 1972,

tuna lishermen refused for three months last year to go to sea. The reason that porpoises prey on tuna is still uncertain, but for centuries fisherman have followed porpoises to their catch.

Texaco Tanker Repaired

LONDON, April 11 (AP)—A su-pertanker carrying 74 million gal-lous of oil repaired an engine-room hreakdown yesterday after drifting for about an hour without power off South Africa, Texaco Oil Corp. PARIS-BRINDISI-PATRAS-ATHENS

Over Illegal Acts

FBI Agents Upset by Discipline Move

By Nicholas M. Horrock who was chief of counterintelli- one point, prosecutors recommended that he be indicted on perjury charges.

(NYT)—Attorney General Griffin Bell's decision to call for adminis
who was chief of counterintelli- one point, prosecutors recommended that he be indicted on perjury charges.

Administrative Discipline Bell's decision to call for administrative discipline of agents involved

in illegal wiretapping, mail opening and hreak-in cases against the Weather Underground group has begun a new uproar among many rank-and-file members of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, bureau sources said vesterday.

According to agents and mid-level bureau officials, if formal acts of discipline are taken against about 68 agents in the case, it will make those agents more vulnerable to civil damage suits by victims of the illegal actions. Moreover, these sources said,

many of the agents believed that when they cooperated with the criminal investigation of the breakins they were assured of being ex-empt from administrative punishment. Many of the agents did receive formal letters giving them immunity from prosecution, they said. The sources said that the concern

is far wider than agents in the Weather Underground cases. "If the government censures you or publishes your name for carrying out orders in one case, they'll do it any other time our methods are criticized," said a bureau source. The new controversy may com-

as a surprise to Mr. Bell, who has kept his eye on FBI morale and the agency's future as he has made his decisions on the FBI hurglary case. Megal Break-ins

On Monday, a federal grand jury here indicted Patrick Gray 3d, a former aeting director of the bureau, as well as Mark Felt, his No. 2 man, and Edward Miller,

Bergland Bids U.S. Congress Resist Lobbies

WASHINGTON, April 12 (AP) Agriculture Secretary Boh Bergland, who has heard a lot of protests from farmers for months said today that Congress should stiffen its backbone against mili-

But Mr. Bergland told a meeting of farm magazine editors today that he would not want people stopped from coming to Washington and putting pressure on gov-ernment officials, including Con-"It's in the American traditioo."

"It's in the American traditioo."
Mr. Bergland said. "I'm just saying to my friends in Congress — don't be stampeded."
Thousands of protesting farmers have lobbied Congress and the administration since fall for higher prices. A farm hill giving them part of what they want is awaiting House action.

Hart Pleads Innocent In Death of 3 Girls

PRYOR, Okla., April 12 (AP)— Gene Hart pleaded not guilty yes-terday to three counts of first-degree murder in connection with the slayings last June of three Girl A preliminary hearing on the murder charges is scheduled for

June 6. The bodies of the three Girl Scouts, aged g to 10, were found 150 yards from their tent at a Girl Scout camp near Locust Grove. They were killed and sexually

break-ins. At the same time, the depart-

ter action because he did not believe lower-level employees should be prosecuted for carrying out orders. Yesterday, he told members of the Senate Judiciary Committee that he chose these actions because "I'm trying to run the FBl. I'm trying to save it."

the New York office.

Line agents have little criticism for the decision to indict higherups, bureau sources said, but the handling of internal disciplioe and the Wallace LaPrade case are touchy matters. Mr. LaPrade is an assistant di-

rector of the FBI and heads the New York field office, the largest hureau facility outside of Washing-

Mr. Bell said on Monday that he ment dismissed wiretapping and had iostructed William Webster, mail opening charges which were the current FBI director, to hrung leveled last year against John Kear- administrative discipline charges ney, a former bureau supervisor in against Mr. LaPrade. Nevertheless, bureau sources said, Mr. LaPrade Mr. Bell said that he took the lat- was still in command in New York and there was no indication that any action had been taken.

Withio the bureau, the issue of civil suits for actions during the investigation of cases is not taken lightly. The Socialist Workers party has been pressing a civil stut against several agents on similar grounds for years, and members of police agencies across the country are now open to civil suits for their actions. Bureau sources said that many of

the 68 men who would be affected by Mr. Bell's discipline order are worried that their names might be made public and that in the event they were sued the letter of censure ton. He was an unindicted co-con-spirator in the Kearney case and, at be used in court against them.



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Moon-Sect Aide Assails 'Witch Hunt' by Congress

WASHINGTON, April 12 sect, also known as the Unification (UPI)—An official of the Moon Church, and the Korean Central sect. denouncing a House commit-tee chairman as "an instrument of Mr. Pak denied published re-

swear this before God in heaven," Bo Hi Pak told a House International Retations subcomminee. The panel is trying to determine there is a link between the Moon

Roof Hurts One

"This is a lie! You are the author of this information and you gave this lie the power of the U.S. Congress," Mr. Pak shouted at Rep. Fraser. "This book will baunt you to your grave."

"You are being used as an instrument of the devil Yer instrument of the devil Yer instrument of the devil Yer instrument."

They said that the wreckage covered an area of about 3,000 square would want to destroy a man of meters of Hall 19, where electrical God but the devil," Mr. Pak said. appliances were to be displayed at the Hannover Fair, which opens in a few days.

A police spokesman said that a shouled, refusing to answer any questions until Rep. Fraser permitted him to finish his statement. a few days.

A police spokesman said that a

strong wind was blowing at the time the roof collapsed. He said that some experts believed that this had caused vihrations which led to

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al Relations subcommittee headed hy Rep. Donald Fraser, D-Minn.

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minutes on it.

OAKLAND, Calif., April 12 (AP)—A leshian has heen judged a fit mother and was given eustody of her 4-year-old son despite the father's elaims that her homosexual life style would ruin the how's life. the chairman as "an instrument of the devil" conducting a "witch hunt," yesterday denied allegations that the sect started as a sex cult.

"I have lived a chaste life and I swear this before God in heaven."

ruin the boy's life.

Jeanne Jullion, 34, was awarded permanent custody of her son, John, in a divorce order Mr. Pak, a former official of the Korean CIA, said that the reports in Alameda County Superior were hased on unevaluated materi-

Lesbian Wins

Custody of Son

In U.S. Divorce

Her ex-husband, Paolo Cec-carelli, had fought for custody on the ground that she was unfit to rear the youngster because of her admitted sexual preference and the fact she lived openly with her lesbian lover.

Clement Zablocki, D-Wis... accus-ing Rep. Fraser's subcommittee of violating House rules by leaking material given in executive session and the deliberate dissemination of scurrilous and defamatory testi-

would want to destroy a man of God but the devil," Mr. Pak said. "I must give you bell!" Mr. Pak During his testimony, Mr. Pak burst into tears, recited parts of the 23d Psalm in a shaky voice and slumped across the witness table with his head buried in his arms af-Mr. Pak's lawyer, John Bray, filed a letter with International Relations Committee Chairman ter demanding an apology from the subcommittee.

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U.S. Opens Its Mess Halls To GIs' Kin in Germany

(UPI)—The U.S. Army confirmed yesterday that it has lifted its previous han and opened mess halls to families of soldiers in West Germa-

The mess halls used to be off limits to wives and children of soldiers except on special occasions such as

Thanksgiving and Christmas.

But the Army, concerned about the effect of the decline of the dollar on the morale of the 200,000 families soldiers in West Germany and the ty line. health of their families, now is allowing wives and children into mess halls.

An Army spokesman at Europe-an headquarters in Heidelberg said that the mess halls were opened to

Testing

out," the spokesman said, "We do not know how many family members will be eating with the soldiers

Fall of Bridge

Loggie

Caramanlis Visit Set

BERN., April 12 (AP)-Premier Constantine Caramanlis of Greece will make a two-day visit next month, the Swiss Foreign Ministry

BONN, West Germany, April 12 or how the new ruling will affect supply lines."
In the mess halls, adults and children above 12 pay 90 cents for breakfast, \$1.45 for lunch and \$1.45 for dinner. Younger children pay 50 cents for breakfast, 85 cents for lunch and 85 cents for supper. The dollar is at such a low value in Germany — hovering at around post-World War II lows of 2 marks

to S1 — that the Army says many families are living below the pover-Especially hard hit are the more than 20,000 low-ranking servicemen who brought their families to Germany at their own expense and do not qualify for free military

that the mess halls were opened to soldiers' families April 1 and will remain open for at least six months.

Testing

housing.

Some soldiers say that at the end of the month they have only enough money to feed their families sandwiches.

Without Water

TOURS. France, April 12 (AP)— This city at the center of France's chateau area was without water for the fourth day today as its 200-year-old Bridge of Stone, which carries the city's water pipes, con-tinued crumbling into the Loire

The collapse of the 15-arch hridge a historie landmark, ruined the city's water lines, gas pipes, and electricity and telephone connec-

tions which ran through it.

In the center of Tours, with tourists swarming to the region, hotels are closed. Cafes have no coffee. Most homes and offices are without telephones.

"It's a catastrophe," declared Deputy Mayor Jacques Goguet as he filled a plastic garbage can with water from an emergency tanker-trailer parked across from the city

The bridge, stretching 1.430 feet in graceful arches across the river, began crumbling Sunday, when three arches caved in to spring-swelled currents. Another fell Monday and a fifth yesterday. Electricity and gas have been re-

phones are beginning to be restored now, but Tourangeaux, as the in-habitants call themselves, still have to dip water from 15 emergency Mayor Jean Royer has promised that water will return to the taps

stored by emergency lines. Tele-

gradually beginning tomorrow, after new lines are thrown up across a nearby pedestrian bridge.

The Bridge of Stone was started in 1765 and completed three years

Outage Possible From Sun Flare

BOULDER, Colo., April 12 (AP)—The most violent solar flare in nearly four years was detected esterday, the U.S. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration said.

The flare could cause radio sig-nal blackouts, telephone circuit outages and displays of northern lights in northern latitudes later this week, the agency said.

Sun spot and solar flare activity generally follow an 11-year cycle. The last cycle ended in 1976 and the flares are beginning to increase

Turkish Antiquity Recovered in N.Y.

NEW YORK, April 12 (AP)-A 2,000-year-old statue stolen from a Turkish archaeological warehouse was returned to the Turkish government yesterday by U.S. Customs agents who found it with a \$6,000 price tag in a Manhattan art

gallery.
The 17-inch-high marble figure of the Greek god Eros was one of eight Turkish national treasures stolen in 1976 from a storage facili-ty near the archaeological dig at the ancient city of Aphrodisias in west-

Six have been recovered and two ference panel met at the White House with Energy Secretary James Schlesinger to consider a plan proposed by the administration to

THE ATOMIUM — The giant landmark of the 1958 Brussels World's Fair is 20 years old this month. A model of an iron crystal molecule, it was designed to last only 10 years, but thousands of visitors each year still ride its high-speed elevator and have dinner at the top "atom." The Belgian government has stated that it will be safe at least until the year 2009.

To Get Energy Bill

Carter Said Ready for Gas Compromise

from the meeting saying "progress thus far has been rather minimal." sional conferees, a group of Republican negotiators said.

Mr. Carter met with House Republican members of the House-Senate conference committee on Although House Republicans have not been included in the efforts to draft a compromise, Senate Republicans have played a key

House after a direct appeal from Mr. Carter vesterday to stop four Carter indicated that he could even months of feuding and produce a compromise.

support a compromise favored by Republicans calling for deregula-tion of natural gas prices in five years, if that is what it takes to get

1985, parlicipants said. House Republicans on the energy conference committee bave com-plained that they have been left out of deliberations on an energy com-

"The President expressed some regret at that," said Rep. John Anderson, R-III., the ranking minority member on the conference panel. He said that as a result of the session with Mr. Carter, "I'm bopeful now we can make a contri-

Rep. Anderson said that the White House meeting was held at the request of the Republicans, who wanted to tell Mr. Carter that he might not be able to get an ener-

his energy bill moving again.

WASHINGTON, April 12 (AP)—President Carter, eager to break the long impasse on his ener-

gy bill, promised today to support

gy bill if he relies only on Demo-crats in Congress.

Mr. Anderson said that, despite some talk by Democratic leaders that this will be the week that either makes or breaks the energy bill, "I don't see what is so crucial about

having something this week." Meanwhile, members of the conbreak the congressional stalemate.

almost any natural gas compromise that can be negotiated by congres-One of the negotiators, Sen. Mark Hatfield, R-Ore, emerged

energy. "He said he would support. in effect, anything that came out of the conference, Rep. Clarence Brown, R-Ohio, said. The conferees met at the White

> The Schlesinger plan includes a proposal to lift price controls from newly found natural gas in April,

Senate negotiators had proposed lifting the controls in January, 1985, while House bargainers suggested July, 1985.

22 Injured by Bomb At School in Ankara

ANKARA, April 12 (AP)—A time bomb exploded in front of an engineering academy bere today, wounding 22 students.

Six were reported in critical condition. The bomb, placed in a parked car, went off in the morning when students were entering the school it was the second bombing at the academy.

Alaska Hit By Quake

PALMER, Alaska, April 12 (AP)—A powerful earthquake, with a magnitude of 6.3 on the Richter scale, hit the southeast coast of Ko-diak Island yesterday evening, but no injuries or damage were report-

Mr. Carter's intervention may have kept the talks from breaking down entirely, conference leaders agreed. The President entered when the whole thing was about to go down the tube," said Sen. Henry. Jackson, D-Wash., leader of the

Workers Join Student Strike In Nicaragua

ANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 12 (AP)—Workers joined striking students in Nicaragua today to protest alleged human rights violations of political prisoners by the regime of

President Anastasio Somoza.

A labor spokesman said 3,000 workers in half a dozen industries walked out for 48 hours. Isidro. Telles, secretary-general for an organization called the Labor Front, said its 24,000 members also

planned a two-day strike. The Labor Front is a federation of industrial, construction, trans-portation and hospital workers.

The movement began 13 days ago to protest the solitary confinement of two young men. Marcio Jaens and Tomas Borge, for alleged leftist guerrilla activities. It has been growing since then.

An estimated 80 per cent of high sebool and university students have been on strike for almost 10 days.

Peking Aide to Romania TOKYO, April 12 (AP)—Chinese Deputy Premier Chen Mu-hua left Peking yesterday at the head of a delegation that will visit Romania the New China News Agency

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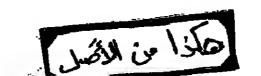
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Nearly 20,000 Held

Indonesia Plans Release Of Political Prisoners

By Henry Kamm

200 or 300 of the country's nearly also that the release of so many at 20,000 remaining political prisoners would be freed by the end of indonesia's population and would next year.

The others, they said, would be problems. tried this year on charges of having been 'clearly and directly involved' in the attempted coup of September, 1965, which was put down by military units under Presi-dent Suharto. In an ensuing purge, several hundred thousand Indonesians were believed to have been killed, and tens of thousands of suspected Communists and leftists were taken into custody. The officers, Adm. Sudomo,

chief of the Operational Command for the Restoration of Security and Order, and Gen. Benny Murdani, chief of intelligence, said that those

Joseph Delteil. French Author. Is Dead at 84

MONTPELLIER, France, April 12 (AP)—French poet and novelist Joseph Delteil, 84, one of the fore-runners of the French surrealist

movement, died here today.

Mr. Delteil published his first collection of poems, "Coen Gree" (Greek Heart), in 1921, winning the literature prize of the French Academy. His first novel, "Sur le Fleuve Amou"r (On the Amur River), pub-lished soon afterward, brought him into contact with Andre Breton, who was to become the founder of the surrealist movement.

Mr. Delteil wrote numerous novels in the 1920s, hut when his "Joan of Arc" won the prestigious Femi-na Prize in 1925 and wide acclaim from the French literary establish-ment, the surrealists disowned him.

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ja annes a in and one Mr. Delteil's writing turned to religious subjects, including Jesus of Nazareth and St. Francis of Assisi. After publishing an antohiography in 1968, he withdrew to big started peer Manuallies in his vineyard near Montpellier in search of what he called purity and

Sir Alan Carmody

CANBERRA, April 12 (AP)-Sir Alan Carmody, 58, head of Austra-lia's Department of the Prime Min-ister and Cabinet, died here yester-

day.
Sir Alan served as deputy secretary of the Department of Trade and Industry from 1962 to 1966.
From 1966 to 1976 he was controller-general of customs and excise before being appointed to head the prime minister's office.

Turkey Regrets Delay in Talks

ANKARA, April 12 (AP)—Turkey claimed today that recent developments in Turkish-Greek relations did not justify an Athens decision to postpone indefinitely a scheduled meeting between the scheduled meeting between the secretaries-general of the two coun-ries' Foreign Ministries to discuss mutual disputes.

The meeting was to begin here Friday as a continuation of the dialogue established by Premiers Bu-lent Ecevit of Turkey and Constan-tine Caramanlis of Greece last

A Foreign Ministry announce-ment said that as far as Turkey was concerned there were no obstacles to holding the meeting as sched-uled. The Greek decision was viewed with regret, the announce-

Swede in Poland

WARSAW, April 12 (AP)— Swedish Prime Minister Thorhjorn Falldin went to Warsaw today for a four-day visit to Poland.

JAKARTA. April 12 (NYT)— scheduled for release by the end of Indonesia's chiefs of internal security and military intelligence said in once because so large a number an interview yesterday that all but would be a security risk. They said pose housing and employment

Visit Suggested

Asked to comment on charges of mistreatment and madequate food housing and medical care on the prison island of Buru, where more than 10,000 are confined, and in other prisons and camps. Adm. Su-domo invited this correspondent to see for himself. But the admiral said it would take a month or two to prepare for such a visit.

Political observers believe that

Political observers believe that President Suharto's government, spurred perhaps by foreign criticism, is now eager to dispose of the problem of political prisoners. They report hints that the schedule of releases may be moved up.

Ten thousand were released in December, leaving 19,791 still in custody, according to the Indonesian Foreign Ministry. Adm. Sudomo and Gen. Murdani said that 10,000 are scheduled to be released this year and the rest next year.

this year and the rest next year.

Of the nearly 20,000 prisoners,
1,833 are listed in what is called
Category A, consisting of those
"clearly and directly involved" in
the coup attempt. All of these were supposed to be tried, Adm. Sudo-mo said, but only 200 or 300 will go

on trial this year.

The others, he said, are to be reclassified into Category B, consisting of persons suspected of direct
roles in the coup attempt, but for
whose suspected guilt there is insufficient evidence.

Since 1966, 904 persons have been tried. An undisclosed number were sentenced to death, and some were executed.

The admiral said that the 17,225 Category B prisoners, plus those to be reclassified and several hundred others still being questioned before classification, were to be freed.

Psychological Tests

He added that all prisoners would undergo psychological tests before their release "to check them for the state of their Communist ideology." But the security chief reiterated that all would be freed, even if they were still "ideologically

In such cases, however, the admiral said, they would be subjected to "closer supervision" after their return to society. He said that this meant no restriction on their freedom hut merely that they would be observed."

Asked about suspicions, voiced particularly in a report on Indone-sian political prisoners published last year by Amnesty International, that released prisoners would merely be transferred to detention in socalled resettlement camps, the se-curity chief said that resettlement would be voluntary and all prisonwould be voluntary and all prison-ers would be free to return to their original homes.

Mexico May Allow Communist Party

MEXICO CITY, April 12 (AP)-The Mexican government has accepted a registration application from the Communist party and will probably grant it conditional recognition May 21, after a 40-day review period, a government source

said today.

The party has been banned from political activity since the late 1940s. If it gets conditional recognition, it can parficipate in the congressional elections in July. If it gets 1.5 per cent of the total vote then, it will get permanent registra-

Swiss Reported Held

BERN, April 12 (AP)—A Swiss cit-izen has been taken into custody in Finland after trying to cross illegal-ly into the Soviet Union, Foreign Office sources said today.



FAMILIAR FACES-Two friendly ring-tailed lemurs, one of them chewing on a straw, spend a spring day at the Zurich Zoo, apparently enjoying the day's sun.

Organ Transplants Eased Under New French Law

By Andreas Freund

ceases to be of much importance after being abandoned by the soul

Thomas Aquinas was cited to the effect that man was only a kind of lodger in his body, which rightfully

belonged to God.

For Health Minister Veil, it is e second significant reform. She won adoption of a liberal abortion law

Soviet Woman

Recovers From

Suicide Attempt

MOSCOW, April 12 (AP)—Antonina Agapova, 69, who swallowed acid at the passport office

here Monday when officials again refused her family's appeals to emi-grate to Sweden, was reported in

improved condition today.

A hospital official said that the grandmother had improved to medium-scrious condition and

Mrs. Agapova, her daughter-in-law, Lyudmila, 39, and a grand-child, Lidya, 14, have been trying

for three years to rejoin Lyudmila's husband, Valentin Agapov, 44, who

A hospital official said that Mrs.

Agapova's son, apparently Valentin in Sweden, had telephoned the hos-pital to inquire about his mother's

Czech Border Guard

Escapes to Germany

many, April 12 (AP)-A Czechoslo-

vakian border guard assigned to build border obstacles escaped Sunday and has asked for political asylum in West Germany, Bavarian

After crossing into German terri-tory, the 19-year-old soldier hid in

the forests along the border for three days before a patrol discov-ered him, the police said.

2 Belgian Pilots Freed

MAPUTO. Mozambique, April 12 (AP)—Two Belgian pilots, jailed here since November when their

transport plane was shot down over

Mozambique, were released yester-day, government sources said.

lice reported today.

FARIS, April 12 (NYT)—A new French law legalizes organ transplants from recently deceased persons unless they have left a written record of refusal.

Previously, such trensplants could be performed in this country could be performed in this country cases to be of much importance after being abandoned by the soul.

only if expressly authorized by the donor and providing that no sur-viving members of the family refused permission.
The change was called "revolu-

tionary" hy the conservative Le Figaro, which deplored it as a sign that the "religious spirit that com-manded respecting the dead is in retreat."

The law, commended by lawyer as "a matter of common sense," was promoted by Health Minister Simone Veil in response to the increasing need for organs as the surgical techniques become more rou-

Under the law, hospitals are required to keep a special register here people may record their refusal to donate organs for trans-plants. Doctors will have to consult the register before the removal of any organs for transplant surgery. Authorization from a parent or guardian would be required in the case of a minor or mentally handicapped person. No transplants would be allowed in cases of ques-tionable death or when a post mortem might be required.

Definition of Death

A key paragraph deals with the definition of death — crucial because transplants are most success-

The law sidestepped the contro-

versial question by saying: "Physicians will utilize [in deter-mining the moment of death] such methods as have been recognized as valid by the Health Ministry, according to the advice received from the National Academy of Medicine and the National Council of the Order of of Physicians."

Two Doctors Required

At least two doctors, one of whom is of senior rank in the hospital, must pronounce a person dead, the lext adds...

Membership in the Order of Physicians is compulsory for all prac-ticing physicians; the academy is an honorary body comprised of the country's top professors of medi-

Another area of controversy is over the shifting of responsibility for the deceased to the medical profession from the family.
One lawyer, however, said that in

French lew family responsibility for the dead was "just a tradition,

'Hot Line' to Aid Anti-Terror Efforts

By Paul Hofmann

VIENNA. April 12 (NYT)—A new hot-line network — the "red telephone" system — will soon pro-vide instant liaison between leading law enforcement officials in Austria, Italy. Switzerland and West Germany to help fight terrorism.

Police chiefs in the four countries hope that law enforcement agencies in France, Belgium, the Nether-lands and other West European countries also will join the network. "Frontiers pose no problems for

terrorists," a spokesman for the Austrian Interior Ministry said yesterday. "We have found we can greatly intensify collaboration be-tween various countries in the face of the present surge of terrorism without having to change any laws or constitutional guarantees."

Meeting in Switzerland

Government members in charge of police in the four countries met in Switzerland last weekend to discuss joint efforts to curb terrorism. The participants in the conference were three interior ministers
— Erwin Lanc of Austria, Franceseo Cossiga of Italy and Werner Maihofer of West Germany — and the Swiss federal councilor, Kurt

kept secret.

The police chiefs agreed not to disclose details of their decisions.

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Informed sources here and in Switzerland said that "structural problems" played a large part in the dis-cussions, meaning the cutting of

Liaison for 4 European Countries

reaucratic procedures.

Police officials of the four countries will exchange information on suspected terrorists in the quickest way - by telephone, teley and ra-

red tape and time-consuming bu-

Argentine Aide Is Assassinated

BUENOS AIRES. April 12 (AP)—Government economist Mi-guel Tobias Padilla, 58, was assassinated vesterday near his home in San Isidro.

About six hours after the shooting an anonymous caller said that leftist Montonero guerrillas had "executed" Mr. Padilla because of his "responsibility for the anti-popular policies of the military dicta-

Mr. Padilla was the first government official — and the 16th person — reported killed in political violence in Argentina this year. He had been in charge of setting work-Furgler. The meeting place was ers salaries. His wage policies reduced inflation, but cut workers' purchasing power by about 33 per

Police sources said that the kidnapping of former Italian Premier-Aldo Moro, the president of the Italian Christian Democratic party, by the ultraleftist Red Brigades was

According to the sources, the idea for a meeting came from Bonn after the kidnapping and murder last fall of Hanns-Martin Schleyer. president of the West German Industry and Employers Federations. West German extremists who are suspected of being implicated in

the Schlever abduction and in earlier terrorist crimes are believed to have found temporary refuges in Austria, Italy and Switzerland, pos-sibly on their way to asylum in a Middle Eastern country. Interior Minister Cossiga of Italy believed to have informed his

colleagues of evidence that the Red Brigades for years have been in close touch with the West German terrorist Baader-Meinhof gang. Italian investigators and newspapers have suggested repeatedly during the last few weeks that West German fugitives had a hand in planning and maybe even carrying

out the abduction of Mr. Moro.

ism bill being dehated in purlia-The bill would set heavy prison terms for terrorist activity, partici-pation in or assistance rendered to a terrorist group and calls for the death penalty when there is loss of a topic at the meeting but that the session had been planned before Mr. Moro's abduction. life in a terrorist incident. Police would also get increased powers to

> The entire political opposition is fighting the bill, charging that the government is taking advantage of the climate prevailing abroad to impose anti-democratic measures not justified by events in Greece.

search and detain suspects.

Greeks Protest

Terrorism Bill

ATHENS, April 12 (AP)-Thousands of persons rallied today in Athens and in Salonika to protest a

vernment-sponsored anti-terror-

World Energy Unit Convenes in Tokyo

TOKYO, April 12 (AP)—A two-day meeting of the governing board of the International Energy Agency opened here today to review energy conservation programs of its mem

The meeting will discuss the energy-saving policies of 19 member nations to see if they comply with a multitateral accord to cut oil imports to 26 million barrels a day

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Fighting U.S. Inflation

The FBI Indictments

These days it sometimes seems as if we are that can be leveled against police officers-

Miller. They say they are innocent and the on accountability of high government offi-

government may be hard put to prove them cials for their acts, and in the area of police

International Opinion

guilty. That is as it should be. The charge powers, this is indisputable.

This time, we are told, the President means what he says. He will fight inflation-and not just with rbetoric. The first to feel the sting, he announced Tuesday, will be his own top appointees, for whom there will be no pay rise this year. The second will be white-collar federal workers, for whom pay increases in 1978 will be 5.5 per cent, rather than the promised 6 per cent. Thus. President Carter has begun what promises to be a most difficult effort to assert the public interest over the private, the long run over the short. On the success of this mission could ride the success of his presidency.

In his talk Tuesday, Carter laid out a dizzving array of anti-inflation initiatives. Most reflected the advice of his top economists. who for weeks have been urging him to move sharply against inflation. There was, however, one surprise-a welcome one: The President announced that Robert Strauss, his special trade representative, would be assigned to oversee the entire anti-inflation effort.

The decision was well taken. Strauss is a scrappy lawyer who has earned a formidable reputation in Washington by succeeding repeatedly where failure seemed likely. Carter has sent him on numerous missions impossible—to whittle down protectionist demands, to restart the stalled coal contract talks, to reduce the planned steel price increases, to push for Panama Canal treaty votes. In each case, Strauss came back with surprising successes. Now Strauss should quickly become the administration's jawbone to nag at business and labor for support of the President's campaign.

How is progress in that battle to be measured? The President did not say, avoiding

commenting on nothing but indictments of government officials. They are coming bot

and beavy and at every level of government. But there is something different and special

about the indictment returned this week

against three former high officials of the FBI.

It is that regardless of guilt or innocence of

the three men on the charge that was brought

against them, the Department of Justice has

tried to place responsibility for wrongdoing

on the people at the top. There bave been too

many other episodes in the recent past-

some involving criminal conduct, others merely mistakes of judgment—in which sub-

ordinates took the rap and the top people

We do not wish to prejudge the case against Patrick Gray, Mark Felt and Edward

against the three is among the most serious

Everything which can be done to play

down the defection of Arkady Shevchenko

will be done. We shall hear a great deal about

personal problems, about family rows, and

about alleged drinking. If we were running

Soviet publicity we would do something very

similar...The fact remains that the No. 1 So-

viet official within the United Natons, an or-

ganization to which the U.S.S.R attaches

enormous importance, has chosen to change

sides...An enormously important and totally

briefed Soviet Foreign Ministry mandarin.

who is also the personal friend of Mr. Gro-

myko, wishes to stay in the United States. It

is as if the Foreign Ministry itself had walked

Neutron Bomb: Battle of Words

Reliance on nuclear weapons to deter a

thrust into Western Europe is an accepted part of Western strategy. The NATO alliance

does not command the men and the conven-

It may well be no part of President Brezhnev's forthcoming engagements to in-

vade Western Europe, and to that extent the

battle of words about the neutron bomb is as

unreal as the hypothetical battle in which it

would be employed. But his intentions are

not made certain, and their uncertainty is

greatly aggravated by 23,000 tanks and 1 mil-

lion men in uniform parked on the other side

That is the question on which the neutron

debate focuses attention...The peculiarity of

the neutron bomb is to kill people (that is,

tank crews) near the blast and allow to sur-

vive both property and persons farther away.

In the thickly populated parts of West Ger-

many that are the potential battlefield it

therefore supplies a more credible deterrent

of the Elbe. Why are they there?

tional armor needed to repel such a thrust.

-From the Daily Express (London).

A Big Defection

off into Manhattan.

the opportunity to spell out a numerical goal. Instead, he listed a long set of specific initiatives. A few seem to us to be central:

• Legislation-The President promised to veto the outrageously inflationary farm bill that Congress is now preparing. He should go even further and roll back the recently announced acreage controls which will, inevitably, contribute to food price inflation. He was also right to give priority to the medicalcost containment bill.

 Regulatory Reform—Carter tried to breathe new life into two elusive but worthwhile areas of regulatory reform with exceptionally large potential for reducing prices: the airline deregulation bill, which is blocked in the House, and deregulation in the trucking industry, which has gotten

• State and Local Governments-Many of these governments are this year enjoying the problem of what to do with unaccustomed surpluses. Carter's suggestion that they cut inflation while trimming sales taxes was sound advice.

Carter hopes that by setting an example of moderation in Washington he will win the cooperation of the rest of the country. He hopes this can be done through a vague system of "voluntary deceleration." But if not, he talks of more direct action-like meetings with industrial and labor leaders at the White House, and the use of federal contracts to encourage lower prices.

Carter so far has proved to be a president of bold beginnings. This is not his first beginning in the fight against inflation. We hope he will not need another.

deliberate abuse of the power they have been

Nevertheless, Attorney General Griffin

Bell has staked a great deal on this case. He

chose to pass over those in the chain of com-

mand between the three on top and special

agent John Kearney, against whom charges

were dropped. His insistence on pursuing

them directly, rather than going after other,

lesser fish in the process, was among the is-

sues that led to the resignation of several of

his investigators last winter. Mr. Bell has tak-

en full responsibility both for the investiga-

tion and for the decision on whom to prose-

Mr. Bell's decision was a good one. It insists

than weapons which, in defending West Ger-

many, would destroy both the country and

its people...But, it is argued, the neutron

bomb lowers the nuclear threshold; that is, it

makes war become nuclear before it other-

wise might. That will not do. The only

threshold that will count if men are mad

enough to return to their former habits is the

threshold between war and peace. Once that

is crossed all bets against nuclear devastation

President Carter said over the weekend that

the second Panama Canal treaty, which is

due to be voted on next week, hangs by a

thread; and Gen. Omar Torrijos, the military

ruler of Panama, has sent two representatives

to Washington to try to work out a compro-

mise. Behind this flurry is the fear that the

treaties, which provide for the handing over

of the canal to Panama in 2000, might finally

come to nothing either because the Senate

refuses to accept the second one or because

Panama refuses to accept the first one in the form in which it was adopted by the Senate

last month...There is little doubt that Gen.

Torrijos wants the treaties, as a means of

ending the long years of U.S. control of the

canal and the canal zone. He has been pre-

pared to make considerable concessions to

the Americans...But he, like Mr. Carter, has to take account of strong feelings on the

issue, and it was hardly helpful of the Senate

to adopt the provocative wording of the Sen.

DeConcini reservation...It is important...that

there should be a new situation on the

canal...and that fact ought to carry more

weight than the exact wording adopted con-

cerning a contingency which cannot arise be-

fore the year 2000 and may never arise. It is

in the interests of both parties to recover the

-From the Times (London).

ambiguity that the Senate has removed.

Hanging by a Thread

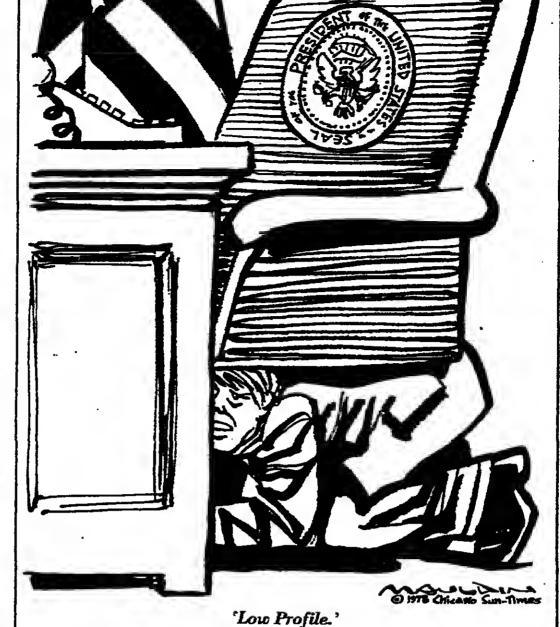
-From the Guardian (London).

Whether or not the case stands up in court,

THE WASHINGTON POST.

given over the lives of citizens.

THE NEW YORK TIMES.



China's Out Visiting

By Daniel Tretiak

HONG KONG-During the last several months, China's efforts to improve ties with states on its Asian periphery bave in-creased rapidly. This campaign re-flects stronger leadership at borne, Peking's perception that the time is ripe to stop Soviet attempts at influence in Asia, and general acceptance of China's peaceful intentions in Asia. A feature of the effort has been trips abroad by important officials, reportedly to be topped off by a visit to North Korea by Premier Hua Kuo-feng in April—his first ever abroad

his first ever abroad. The first round of visits dealt with the most serious problem China's foreign policy has faced since the Cultural Revolution: the Vietnam-Cambodia war. To try to reconcile the two Communist to Phnom Penh to try to impress upon Cambodia that conflict with Vietnam was ill-advised: failing, China has since February systematically avoided further public in-volvement in the simmering war.

Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping began China's diplomatic offensive in Burma, reaffirming China's ties with Rangoon. Sino-Burmese rela-tions symbolize what China wants from neighboring states: minimum difficulty, maximum security, and nonalignment vis-a-vis the major powers. Mr. Teng went next to Nepal, where he held out an olive branch to India, calling for an im-provement in Chinese-Indian ties. Other Chinese officials went into

Proposals

First, an economic delegation visited India for three weeks; no agreements were signed, although there were negotiations. Then, the Chinese dispatched a seasoned diplomat on a subcontinent tour. After traveling to Pakistan and Bangla-desh, Wang Ping-na spent two weeks in India; there, he reportedly indicated that China was serious about trying to resolve the border conflict with India, and made con-

crete proposals to that effect.
In retrospect, Mr. Teng's India opening was closely linked to the Vietnam-Cambodia conflict: Since China failed to prevent that war from emerging and Vietnam remained an uneasy neighbor it was in China's interests in February to

The same one-two punch-trade -Lettersand politics-used toward India tries provides a basis for gaining followed in relations with the Phil- running room ippines, a cornerstone of the Asso-ciation of Southeast Asian Nations, with which positive relations have

become a major focus of recent Chinese foreign policy. In February, a trade mission went there and concluded major agreements. Next, the highest-ranking Chinese official in the history of Chinese-Philippine relations. Vice Premier Li Hsien-nien, visited Manila in mid-March. Mr. Li's visit symbolized China's intentions to mprove ties with the Philippines, to reduce tensions over potentially oil-rich islands that China, Vietman and the Philippines claim, and to show the Association of Southeast Asian Nations that China wants to

live at peace with non-Communist Promises

Just to solidify relations with South Asia, Mr. Li quickly visited Bangladesh, promising aid and sub-ily showing Pakistan that it was unhappy about the treatment of the former leader, Zulfikar Ali Bhutto, China's old friend.

The visit to Peking of Thailand's Premier firmed up another major component of China's Asian policy. Given tense Chinese-Viet-namese relations, Thailand has become increasingly important to China as a possible "balance," if not a barrier, against Vietnamese expansionism. Thailand's handling of Indochinese politics has earned Peking's respect, and the Premier's visit strengthened China's identification with Association aspirations.

The most important round of trade and politics is currently evolving: In February, China and Japan signed a long-term agreement to exchange Japanese tech-nology for Chinese oil and coal. The political round is beginning again: China wants Japan to sign a peace treaty with an implicitly anti-Soviet "anti-hegemony" clause. If this treaty is concluded moves are under way in Tokyo to resume negotiations with China this month-China will have achieved signifi-

cant gains in Asia.

The "new" Chinese leadership needs peace in Asia to devote its energies to attaining ambitious national goals outlined at the fifth National People's Congress. Achievement of good relations with major Asian non-Communist coun-

ironically, it will be Communist neighbors—Vietnam, Cambodia and the Soviet Union—that will provide China with difficulties. China seems to be in no mood to conciliate with the stubborn Rus-sians and has indicated that it could survive Soviet occupation of the Northeast, even as China pre-sumably hopes that the Russians will not attempt anything that rash. The overall impression of recent Chinese policy moves is that they

are crisp, coordinated and efficient. They may lack the elegance of a Chou En-lai in action, but do reflect the stamp of still-vigorous Teng Hsiao-ping and foreign affairs professionals nurtured by Mr. Choti.

Daniel Tretiak, associate professor of political science at York University, Toronto, is research associate versity. Toronto, is research associate
All of this makes "news" but bloom in the spring bloom with at the University of Hong Kong's doesn't make much sense. The men more tra-la than most places, but Center of Asian Studies. He wrote this article for The New York Times.

Carter in Trouble At Home, Abroad

By James Reston

verely by the press at home and abroad than at any other time since he entered the White House.

For example, he made a most solemn and impressive speech on the economic problems of the nation before the American Society of tion before the American Society of Newspaper Editors here this week. Secretary of State Vance defined the administration's foreign policy before the same audience. But at no point during their formal addresses were they applauded on any single point by the most responsible editors of the nation's newspapers. This raises some fundamental questions both about the President and the press. Is there something

and the press. Is there something about Carter personally that cre-ates doubt about his capacity for leadership? Are his policies wrong or poorly presented, or merely misunderstood?

Or is the press underestimating the magnitude and complexity of the problems before him, and ing him for problems that also involve the Congress and public opinion beyond his control? Since he will preside over at the

White House at least until Jan. 20, 1981, and since these doubts obviously erode his authority at home and abroad, these questions have to

At home, he has been blamed by big business for inflation, by big la-bor for the unemployment, by the farmers for prices that are too low and by consumers for prices that are too high. Also be is blamed by blacks that his new policy for the cities is too cheap and meager, and by the white middle class that he is taxing them out of existence and even threatening the financial sta-bility and moral integrity of the U.S. middle-class family.

Abroad, he is being condemned by the Russians for being too tough, by the Chinese for not being tough enough on Moscow, by the Japanese for limiting their exports of steel and TVs, by George Meany of the AFL-CIO for not limiting about as confused as when they foreign exports enough.

Foreign Critics

Also he is being criticized by the European allies, and particularly the West Germans, for interfering in their internal economic policies without getting Washington's own economic house in order, and by the Israelis for demanding too many concessions for a Middle East settlement, and by the Arab states for imancing an Israeli politi-cal and military policy he opposes.

The U.S. press has dealt with all these problems one at a time. Reporters are a little like doctors: They hear mainly from people who have a pain, and get a lot of news from "losers" who have a grievance. From big business on inflation, from big labor on unem-ployment, from farmers running their tractors up on Capitol Hill from the labor lobby and the Israeli lobby and the Arab oil lobby-Carter is getting u hard time.

All of this makes "news" but who come forward to speak for a vast continental country like the

WASHINGTON—In the last United States can define policies but cannot really compet the Con-Carter has been criticized more segress to accept them. This is the point that may be underestimated hy both the press and the Allies-they simply do not understand the complications of the U.S. federal

political system.

The President of the United States can suggest, as Carter has, what to do about inflation, unemployment, education, abortion, health care at home or overseas, how to deal with strategic weapons. the Cruise missile, or the neutron artillery warheads, but the Con-gress may have a different notion, and these days, it usually does. The Congress wants to know why Carter hasn't come forward with an answer in all these questions. And since he hasn't, the Republicans see the opportunity to reduce the Democtatic majority in Congress in November, and maybe even to elec-a Republican president in the elec-tion of 1980.

GOP Joke

The popular Republican joke here now is that Carter will probably be a one-term president, "but when," they ask "is he going to start his first term?"

So there is a tendency now to

mock Carter, to suggest that he is not big enough for the job, that he is confused and "indecisive." just at the point when he is beginning to negotiate a strategic arms agreement with the Russians and revive the negotiations for a compromise in the Middle East. Carter and Secretary of State

Cyrus Vance were almost pleading with the U.S. newspaper editors here to understand all these complicated and dangerous domestic and foreign problems, but they didn't seem to make much progress. The President and Vance were

almost too serious, too meticulous with the details of domestic economics and complicated foreign military weapons. The editors seemed almost stunned by the conarrived.

Maybe this is Carter's major problem at home and abroad. He is very persuasive when he is in a small room, expressing his convic-tions and yearnings to two or three people. Even Chancellor Helmut Schmidt of West Germany testifies to this. But when Carter talks to a large audience, there is something about his voice and style that loses them, and makes them wonder what he means und where he is

Trouble

Accordingly, Carter is not only getting a had press these days, but getting into serious political trouble at home and abroad. Even his most enthusiastic supporters complain that he does the right thing many times hut does it in the worst possihle way.

The newspaper editors seemed troubled about all this. At this time of the year, this is a recklessly beautiful city, and the flowers that even so, Carter didn't send them

Heated Words Over Backfire

By George F. Will

WASHINGTON — Lawyers have an axiom: If you have range and much less range and much ligher payloads than Backfires have. if you have the evidence on your side, argue the evidence; if you have neither, pound the table. In an overwrought letter in response to my recent column on the Soviet Backfire bomber, Herbert Scoville

pounds the table. Scoville once was a government disarmament adviser, and his arguments are of interest, if only because they are, in primitive form, arguments the Carter administra-tion will use in defense of the strategic arms agreement it is negotiating. Scoville's ill-temperedness is understandable: He has the unenviable task of defending the adminis-tration's position that Backfire is not a strategic weapon and so need not count against Soviet SALT lim-

Misleading

Scoville's bald assertion that Backfire cannot return to Soviet bases after striking targets in the United States is misleading because Backfire can be refueled, and it is irrelevant because Backfire can strike the United States and land in third country, such as Cubal Many U.S. strategic bombers counted in SALT also would land in third countries. No U.S. strateg bomber can return to the United States after a strike against the So-

viet Union without refueling. Scoville challenges the statement that the administration has accepted 600 kilometer-range limits on Cruise missiles. In fact, the administration has accepted such limits on all armed ground-launched Cruise missiles, all armed sea-launched Cruise missiles, and all armed air-launched Cruise missiles except those carried on "heavy

Because of President Carter's unilateral and unreciprocated deci-sion to cancel the B-l bomber, the only heavy bombers the United States will have for the foreseeable future are the aging B-52s.

Not Comparable

Scoville suggests that if the United States insisted that Backfire count against Soviet SALT totals. the Russians would insist on count-ing U.S. F-111s and F-4s based in Europe and on carriers. But F-111s and F-4s are hardly comparable to

Of course, if the Soviets want to count U.S. planes deployed to de-fend our allies, the Russians should be willing to count the enormous and expanding systems with which they threaten our allies. And, of course, Scoville knows, but does not care to dwell upon, the fact that the Russians are unwilling to do so.

To understand why the Russians are unwilling, consider the most recent argument from Arthur Cox. whose ringing defense of the Soviet position on Backfire started this agreeable tempest. Cox, who is a paid consultant to the administraflon, says that if the administration insists that Backfire count as a strategic weapon, then the Russians would insist that FB-IIIs count against U.S. totals. Cox notes that the Russians have not "demanded" inclusion of FB-11ls in strategic totals in exchange for inclusion of

Perhaps Cox thinks this is an eximple of Soviet magnanimity. On the other hand, it could have something to do with the fact that the Russians soon will have nearly three times more Backfires than the United States bas FB-IIIs. Cox also notes that the Russians

bave not "demanded" that we include our fighter bombers based in Europe, Asia and on carriers. But it would be startling, indeed, if they did demand that theater forces be included in the equation.

The Balance

Here is how the balance looks for medium-range missiles: U.S., zero; the Soviet Union, 600, (SS-4s, SS-55) plus the new SS-20s being deployed. And medium bombers:
U.S., 60 (FB-111s); the Soviet Union, approximately 600 (Badgers and Blinders).

As to other nuclear-capable air-

craft of less than intercontinental range, the Russians also have an advantage. In Europe alone they bave roughly I,400 against 400 for the United States. (These figures are from the 1976 annual report of the U.S. Arms Control and Disar-

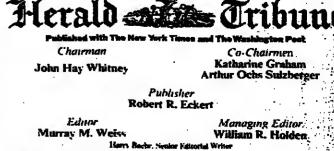
mament Agency).

Cox's most revealing argument consists of quoting the Soviet statement that "to raise such questions would lead matters to a situation where there will be no agreement at all." And there you have the administration's negotiating pos-ture. The Russians determine the agenda for negotiations and then the substace of agreements, because they know the administration believes that almost any agreement is preferable to no agreement.

The final arguments that will be heard from the administration before the Senate rejects the SALT agreement will be: This is better than nothing

By a considerable margin, the Senate will disagree.





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Seventy-Five Years Ago April 13, 1903

NEW YORK—As Lillie Langtry was on the stage in the second act of "Mademoiselle Mars," on Friday night, at Salem. Mass., a defective electric-light wire started a fire near the footlights. The audience became uneasy, but Mrs. Langtry, without missing a word of the dialogue, lifted a rug, crossed the stage and smothered the flames. Her coolness was much applatided. Stepping to the front of the stage, Mrs. Langury made a little speech, explaining that there had been no real

Fifty Years Ago

April 13, 1928

MILAN-King Victor Emmanuel III escaped assassination by a few minutes here this morning from a skillfully concealed time bomb, which exploded less than five minutes before he was to have passed the spot en route to the Milan Trades Fair. The explosion killed 14 persons and wounded more than 40 others. The King had arrived in Milan by train just half an hour before and a slight change in his program brought him to the front of the fair entrance a few minutes before the time scheduled in the newspapers.

Eurocommunism

Re "New Style Communism Still Exists" (IHT, April 8-9), Joseph Kraft lumps together the Communist party of Portugal with those of Italy, France and Spain by stating that the Communist party "in all that the Communist party in all four countries regularly criticizes Moscow on certain human-rights issues." Insofar as this sentence refers to Portugal it is just untrue. Having studied Portuguese Com-munism for some years, I am sure that Mr. Kraft would be unable to quote one single criticism of Soviet policy by Mr. Cunhal's party. There has never been anything like that either with regards to human rights nor any other comparable subjects.

FRITZ ALLEMANN. Kleinfinderfeld, West Germany.

View of Detente

Our President, Mr. Carter, has made a strong tactical move to-wards making the Soviet suggestion for detente more meaningful; now everybody in the Western world should look towards the Soviet Union, and ask, "It's now your

turn, what are you going to do If Moscow does nothing but of-

fer a pretty speech or two in reply, then you can eliminate the word detente from practical international conversation in the future and get on with some of the many more urgent problems: for example, ftaly, where it seems that collusion is rampant and where those who know refuse to view the matter beneath its ugly surface. JOSEPH MANFRING Tracy-le-Val, France.

Call a Plebiscite

Jonathan Power seems to have trouble deciding which of the two countries. Mexico or Cuba, is a more equitable and just one (tHT, March 30).

I have a simple answer: Let the people decide. Call a plebiscite on their regimes in both countries and see whether the people will support their governments and way of life. I'll bet Mr. Power a dollar to a nickel that the Mexican govern-ment will accept the wager. But will Cuba? Or are leftist regimes ex-

empt from popular scrutiny MICHAEL DICK

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Scherrer's Look Matches **Elegance and Trendiness**

By Hebe Dorsey

PRIS, April 12 (IHT)—Jean-Louis Scherrer keeps getting better each season, the perfect exsame of a steady, serious talent as wellas a hard-working man.

is image is now elegant, sophisticted and closely tied up with Mt. Valery Giscard d'Estaing wis is one of the best-groomed sopen in the world. Without losinghis sense of direction, and is has kept honing his style and de-lives a trendy as well as impeccablelook that puts him way ahead in the ashion game.

As a result, he now has orders from most of the big American stees, including Saks and Neiman-Marcus, and the smaller and choicie Martha, of Palm Beach and New York. This season, they all west for Scherrer's suits—all of their updated with broad shoulders and slim skirts.

Although this is ready-to-wear, the pollection has a definite luxurious ring, with such fabrics as alpaca, cashmere and silk. The models also wear small, veil-trimmed President cloches and delicate, distinguished so he god and pearl jewlery and none of that tacky, crazy look.

Agreement Reported On Radio City Plan

NEW YORK, April 12 (NYT)— New York City officials have agreed to the state's plan for saving Ridio City Music Hall, a source close to Gov. Hugh Carey said yes-

Spokesmen for the city and for Rockefeller Center, which operates the landmark theater, declined comment on the reported agree-ment, but the state source said he expected a formal amouncement in plucated log of the agreement to be made jointly by Mr. Carey, Mayor Edward mined by the inned by the dert of Rockefeller Center.

I; is not clear whether the Music d as when the Hall will close, even temporarily, after this evening's concluding performance of the Easter pageant. and abroad ! The current show could be extended or the theater could close while a long-term entertainment schedule is devised.

Scherrer's most typical suit had a longish, double-breasted jacket and was worn with V-necked, sleeveless sweater over printed silk hlouse and tie. He topped it with big mohair coats, cinched with braid belt or fur capelets, edged with the animal's tails.

His evening story was told in the same quiet and dignified way, with satin pajamas topped by matching coats or a series of new evening suits, of which the best was the white brocade jacket over ankle-length black velevet skirt.

Scherrer is joining the big league in more ways than one. He has just signed up with Harriet Hubbard Ayer, who will produce his first perfume, which is to be launched next spring.

Guy Laroche is another quiet success story. By turning his ready-to-wear over to Guy Douvier, Laroche has secured the help of a pro who has had a serious fashion back-ground since he first worked for Diox in New York weers 200

Dior in New York years ago. This collection is strictly here to sell and not to shock. But with 30 new boutiques opening up in the United States, Laroche has worked out perfectly pleasant and under-standable clothes, with all the new fashion touches. The best are the fleece-lined.

long poplin quilted jackets over-corduroy pants, the men's over-coats, which look best in solid gray, and all the suits, brightened up with lots of plaid skirts and flannel shirts—an idea that also cropped up at Saint Laurent's.

Hanae Mori is a successful Japanese designer best known for her poetic cartans, in unique and very Oriental prints. Unfortunately, she has let herself be led astray by her Paris surroundings and has gone too Western for her own good. So, although her spencer suits and military pants suits are valid in a way, it is a shame that she has not ching to the Japanese image that had pot her in a class quite apart.

The Paris fashion week ended on festive note last night with Karl Lagerfeld entertaining press and buyers in his grandiose candle-

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engravings showing parties at Ver-sailes. Three-tiered and almost ceiling-high, they were an incredi-hle display of foie-gras-triumed dolphins and peacock-shaped

lighted 18th-century quarters to celebrate the launching of his new men's perfume, "Lagerfeld by Lagerfeld."

The buffets were duplicates of what can be seen in 18th-century of the street of the str spouting green sugar water.

Guests were greeted by white-wigged, blue-saun-clad French laquais holding giant silver candela-

Waverley Root

Some Logical Problems Concerning the Oyster

as it remains an unknown quantity, must have been responsible for the saying that it was a bold man who ate the first cyster, usually attribu-ted to Jonathan Swift, an irascible man who would have been furious if he had known that this statement was going to be delivered to posterity as his opinion. Actually, he included it in a listing of ideas which in his time had already become threadbare through repetition and were therefore to be avoided. I don't know who came up with this idea first, but it appears in "Worthies of England," written by Thomas Fuller (1608-1661), who attributed it to King James L

A good many sweeping observa-tions made about this inoffensive bivaive have been undistinguished by their logic, from Alexandre Dumas's. The cyster is one of the most disinherited mollusks of nature," to "Saki's, "Oysters are

nature," to "Saki's, "Oysters are more beautiful than any religion."

Thomas Hardy returned us to logic when he remarked that an oyster is "greatly more complicated than a watch," and Julian Huxley may have had his grandfather's statement in mind when he completed the analogy between the oyster and machinery by pointing out that bivalves are probably the only animal which possess a rotating part which moves like a wheel—the organ whose clockwise circling enorgan whose clockwise circling en-sures that all food particles which enter the shell shall come into contact with the stomach.

Number of Species

Charles Monselet, a gastronomic writer of the last century, was prob-ably inspired neither by logic nor by illogic, but was simply firing his blunderbuss at random when he in-formed the public that there are 365 species of oyster. I do not know how many species there actually are, but the highest guess I have come across in any reliable source—and it was there presented frankly as a guess—was 100 species. I doubt if more than a dozen are widely eaten.

There are three genera of cysters: Ostrea, Crassostrea (which used to be called Gryphaea) and Pinctada, and they seem to be divided only sparsely into species. It

THE UNPREPOSSESSING appearance of the oyster, so long as it remains an unknown quantity, the flat European oyster, is the finest of them all, with a delicate subtle flavor which, in its happiest incarnations, suggests hazelnuts.

> Once upon a time, a great bank of these oysters extended along the European Atlantic coast from Denmark to Portugal, and there turned into the Mediterranean, where it hugged the southern shores of France, the west coast of Italy, and, losing hardly any to the Adriatic. crossed the strait to Greece, where it stopped, exhausted. The oyster was unknown to the ancient Assyrians or the ancient Egyptians, and is not mentioned in the Rible, proba-bly less because it was unclean than because it was unknown.

Over the centuries this great barrier reef of oysters has split into rel-atively small islands for various atively small islands for various reasons, of which only one is the depredations caused by man. Indeed, in the mysterious destinies of the oyster, we might be tempted to see a built-in capacity for self-destruction; it sometimes seems that over a long period oysters degenerate, lose, so to speak, the will to live, and simply fade away.

Striking Contrasts Have the taxoomists been caught asleep at the switch when they tell us that there is only one species of European flat oyster, Ostrea edulis, in spite of the oyster, Ostera eaths, in spite of the fact that we have clearly distinguishable kinds, many of them sought avidly by connoisseurs?—English Colchesters and Whitstables, Dutch Zeelands, Belgian Ostends, French belows and margaretic contents. ostends. French belows and marenes, the small gravettes of Arcachon and the bourigues of the Mediterranean, not to mention such striking variations as that in size between the tiny bouleuse (sulkers) of France's central Atlantic coast and the enormous pied de cheval (horse's hoof) of its northern Atlantic coast, whose flesh may

weigh 10 I's ounces.

Despite this diversity, the taxonomists are not wrong. They know what most of us do not, that wherever they come from, whatever shape, size, color and taste they may have acquired where they grew to edible size, the chances are good that all of them were raised from seed oysters transplanted from within 10 miles of the bridge of La Trinite on an estuary of the south-ern coast of Brittany. They are all Ostrea edulis and they would all have developed in the same fashion if they had been left to reach matu-rity where they were born.

Most of us know how France ac quired a second species of oyster, when, in 1868, a ship carrying oy-sters from Lisbon, tunking that its cargo was spoiled, threw them overover shallow pan. Put pan and colander in warm, dark place, such as a closer. The beans will not sprout below 68 degrees Fahrenheit and the sprouts won't be white and board; there were enough healthy ones among them to propagate there, giving France the portuguise, whose rough deep shell contrasts with Ostrea edulis's flat smooth Spray the colander with 1/2 cup warm water at least four times a one. The Portuguese oyster was day, draining off base pan after each spraying. The sprouting beans will be mature and ready for cating Crassostrea angulata, but what was doing in Portugal? This shellfish in about four to five days, dependis believed to be Asiatic.

But Asiatic or not, the native oy-ster of the American Atlantic and ing on temperature of sprouting Gulf coasts is Crassostrea, too.

> The third genus, Pinctada, is supposed to be a native of Australasia. It seems to have more identified species than the others, but it is far from certain that all of them are edible. There is one which does not have to be Pinctada margaritifera, the pearl oyster.

There are a oumber of other shellfish which are popularly called oysters but are not. There is an easy way to detect the imposters: A shellfish caught lying on its right side is a fake; oysters (except Pinetadn) lie on their left sides.

How do you tell which is the left side of an oyster? According to the experts, it is the lower side, the one it lies on. I guess this is logical, but it sounds a little as if we were meeting ourselves coming back.

OWaverlev Root

FOOD: Introducing Occidentals to the Eight-Treasure Duck

By Naomi Barry

PARIS (IHT)—Judith Jones is regarded as the cockbook edi-tor of U.S. publishing. While most the field, Mrs. Jones attempts to hold out for the "milestone" books within the confines of Jer specialty.

For 15 years, she winted a book on Chinese cooking that she felt or column or would properly introduce Occidentials to the world of gazed five-tragrance space ribs, hinbow fish; the thought duck. She resisted until Irene Kuo

these plant ame along.

Mrs. Kno is a brilliant cook. In addition, she was forn in China into a gournet-oriented family, was for 20 years a restaurateur in New

York and is naturally pedagogic without being pedartic. Her mother and gandmother for years began each day with a cup of host creamy broth nade of crushed blanched walnuts, glutinous rice powder, sugar and water guaranteed to keep a complexion dewy. The youthful Irane preferred a preakfast of rice portidge with a side plate of small scallion pancakes. She still misses those even

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long hesitation. It is an initiation into Chinese cuisine with techniques gently explained, with whys to illuminate the wherefores, plus a Drawings and text illustrate "the compendium of clear step-by-step recipes to encourage any Western cook to try "East."

"Mother and Daughter." directed

by Giovanna Gagliardo, "never lets a scene go by quietly when an intrusive blast of directional technique will do," according to Janet Maslin, "and so it becomes impos-

about what is happening in the film. It takes place in Italy in the home of a wealthy family where ev-

erything appears perfect. But the problem is that the mother is bored

problem is that the mother is bored and trying to keep her daughter de-pendent on her. Maslin says that as a director, Miss Gagliando is distressingly insensitive to the rela-tionship between style and pur-pose. As an interior director, how-

ever, she is formidable. The film is

gorgeously photographed, from sunny beginning to profoundly uneventful ending."

"Calm Prevails Over the Country," in German and directed by Peter Lilienthal, is "an intensely interesting film," Vincent Canby says. It's about the gradual destruc-

tion of democracy in a South American country. The main char-acter is an intelligent, old hotel owner in the capital city "played" with screne self-assurance by

17. That trip you

(A:other good reason to call home.)

An international call is the next best thing to being there.

critics rate new films:

cipe oo page 453 of "The Key to comes in three weights: "light for extremely fine and fancy entring:
The book rewards Mrs. Jones's the medium for all standard entring

Chopping Hold, the Mincing Hold, the Cutting Hold, The Mincing Easily Adapted March Chop," which Mrs. Kuo describes as "a polishing finish for reentrates on "leasurely and freefining hand-minced meats or loos-

scribes as "stir-frying, red-cooking, pan-sticking, slithering, exploding, plunging, purifying, smothering, mating, nestling, capturing, choking, flavor-potting, light-footing, sizzling, rinsing scorching, drowning, wine-pasting and intoxicating."

Because Chinese cooking demands more hacking, chopping, mincing and scraping than the Western style, the pragmatic Chinese developed the all-purpose deaver, thus dispensing with the panoply of knives that would otherwise have been required to handle the many operations. The cleaver

Entertainment in New York

Chop." Once these have been centrates on "leasurely and free-from-tension" preparations, easily adapted to anybody's culture. Specifically Chinese methods she describes as "stir-frying, red-cooking, pan-sticking, slithering, exploding, plunging, purifying, smothering, plunging, plungi

Finally, he goes to the prison to

rejoin the community.

tastes (such as grass) that might be beans. Cover with second piece of objectionable to a refined palate. The book is well larded with this wet cheesecloth. Sprinkle surface with 1/2 cup warm water. Drain. Set colander type of essential information.

Chicken in Salt

The French have a way of roasting a whole chicken in a casing of salt. The Chinese, according to plump if exposed to light. Mrs. Kuo, with no ovens at home, developed a similar chicken, bury-ing it in salt within a wok on top of the stove. The Oriental manner calls for pouring a marinade into The meat is succulent and the

skin is soft but not moist," is her This method does wonders for ground meat."

A Chinese meat loaf is steamed oot baked, and the meat is treated to a good march-chop before being shaped into a pie. Chicken and shrimp are "velveted" in oil or water before being introduced to other disher Comment.

Comment.

Mrs. Kuo is an advocate of bean sprouts only when they are fresh, white and plump. She gives them a week's life in the refrigerator, after which they become "rusty and skinny." Canned bean sprouts she dismisses, since they lack the desired crispness of texture.

Instead, she recommends home

NEW YORK, April 12 (IHT)— Charles Vanel." He observes the This is how New York Times state's suppression of opposition state's suppression of opposition and the disappearance of first his friend's children, then his own. one over bottom of colander. Add grets the error.

place—the ideal temperature is about 75 degrees Fahrenheit. Remove cheesecloth and dump sprouts in a large pot of water. Rinse gently, drain, leaving green hulls behind, and they're ready for

Correction

Sprouting Mrang Beans

In The Art Market by Source Melikian in the April 8-9 editions of the IHT, it was erroneously rewasn 2 cap dried ming beans, or the 171, it was erroneously lediscarding any imperfect ones, ported that a manuscript of the
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	Dec. 31, 1977	Dec. 31, 1976		
Total Assets	DM 3,750 m	DM 3,225 m		
Deposits	DM 3,365 m	DM 2,799 m		
Loans	DM 1,062 m	DM 996 m		
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To All Stockholders of

Kennecott Copper Corporation

Additional Information From Your Management

In accordance with our letter of March 31, we submit the following additional information concerning Curtiss-Wright, its Chairman and President — Mr. Berner — and the opposition slate they want you to elect to the Kennecott Board. Please study this information carefully.

ABOUT MR. BERNER

current assets."

FACT: In April 1948, Mr. Berner, as Chairman of a dissident Curtiss-Wright Stockholders Committee, participated in a proxy contest in an attempt to take over control of the Curtiss-Wright Board of Directors.

This attempt was unsuccessful and the dissident slate was defeated.

FACT: His Committee's campaign promise at that time was similar to the "program" Curtiss-Wright is now using to solicit your votes. His Committee stated it intended that Curtiss-Wright make a special distribution — \$7 per share in cash to stockholders — or else call for tenders of one-half of the outstanding common stock at \$14 per share, out of "net

Subsequent to the defeat of his dissident slate, Mr. Berner became a director of Curtiss-Wright in 1949. While he is only one of Curtiss-Wright's directors, he has been Chairman since 1960.

Although circumstances change, Curtiss-Wright has never paid its stockholders the promised special distribution of \$7 per share nor made the promised \$14 per share tender offer for one-half of its common stock. In 1965, Curtiss-Wright offered to purchase one million of its common shares (13% of the then outstanding shares) at \$32 per share, which offer was oversubscribed.

FACT: In that 1948 campaign Mr. Berner's Committee complained about the "niggardly treatment" of the common stockholders because Curtiss-Wright had only paid out \$4.50 per share in dividends over the previous 7 years compared with \$12 per share in earnings — an average dividend payout of 38%.

No dividends were paid to common stockholders in 1971, 1972 and 1973 even though Curtiss-Wright's net earnings in these years aggregated \$13,988,000 (\$318,000, \$4,787,000 and \$8,883,000 in such years, respectively), before extraordinary items. In 1977, Curtiss-Wright common stockholders received \$.60 per share in dividends—30.5% of net earnings. In the last five years Curtiss-Wright has never paid more than 33.8% of its net earnings in common stock dividends, and on the average has paid only 22.5% of its net earnings in dividends to holders of its common stock.

REMEMBER: Instead of making a special distribution to its own stockholders — as it claims it wants Kennecott to do — Curtiss-Wright accumulated cash and cash equivalents (cash, time deposits and marketable securities) amounting to \$87,700,000 as of December 31, 1977 and then bought nearly \$77,000,000 of Kennecott stock.

FACT: You should know that in June 1949 the United States Court of Appeals determined that Mr. Berner had committed a breach of trust in disclosing certain confidential information to his brother-in-law. In this civil action, Mr. Berner had applied for attorney's fees for services performed in a corporate reorganization matter in which he had fiduciary responsibilities. The fees previously had been denied at the District Court level.

The Court of Appeals found that "... what Berner told [his brother-in-law]... amounted to giving him an opportunity to buy the shares at an unlawful advantage over the shareholders from whom he bought, and that this was a breach of trust." (Emphasis added.) The Court remanded the case to the District Court with instructions to determine the amount by which Mr. Berner's fees should be reduced as a result of his conduct.

You should ask yourself whether you can believe Mr. Berner's promises.

ABOUT THE OPPOSITION SLATE

FACT: Fourteen of the seventeen-man Curtiss-Wright opposition slate — unlike you — do not own a single share of Kennecott stock.

FACT: Within a few months eight of the Curtiss-Wright opposition slate will be 70 years of age or older; and five of them are already 72 years of age or over.

FACT: Five of the opposition candidates whom Mr. Berner calls an "independent" group are directors of Curtiss-Wright and a sixth is a director of a company related to Curtiss-Wright. Not one of these six candidates owns a single share of Kennecott stock.

FACT: The present principal occupations of the other sixteen persons on the Curtiss-Wright opposition slate are: a private investor and investment counselor; an independent oil and gas producer; a director of a marine towing and transportation company; a real estate investor; two lawyers; five executives of miscellaneous businesses; and five "consultants" in various fields. None of these persons has claimed, in their proxy soliciting material, any expertise in the copper mining business.

We believe that eight of their candidates may have conflicts of interest in that they are directors of companies which to some degree compete with Kennecott.

We ask you to compare this opposition slate with the experience and qualifications of the Management nominees. Each of the Management nominees — like you — is a Kennecott stockholder. We believe you will agree with us that your best interests will be served by voting for the Management nominees.

ABOUT CURTISS-WRIGHT

It was not until seven days after Kennecott announced its intention to acquire Carborundum that Curtiss-Wright bought its first share of Kennecott stock. Now—only five months later—Curtiss-Wright has announced a proxy contest in an attempt to get your vote to elect their opposition slate.

FACT: Curtiss-Wright is totally financing this campaign and presently plans to spend at least \$350,000 in its solicitation. Not one person on the opposition slate is contributing any money to the solicitation.

FACT: Curtiss-Wright is not engaged in any mining activities nor has it claimed any mining expertise.

FACT: Four Curtiss-Wright directors in addition to Mr. Berner are opposition candidates. These four candidates have been members of the Curtiss-Wright Board for a total of 67 years, but own in total only 600 shares of Curtiss-Wright stock.

FACT: On March 23, 1978, Curtiss-Wright announced its "program" to sell off Carborundum and distribute the proceeds, claiming it had the support of its 17 candidates. Curtiss-Wright made this announcement the same day on which six of such candidates "confirmed" their willingness to join the opposition slate, and the day before three other candidates "confirmed" their willingness to join the opposition slate.

You should ask yourself how any of the Curtiss-Wright candidates could support Curtiss-Wright's "program" when only eight days before the "program" was announced Mr. Berner personally admitted to your Management he did not have the necessary information to determine what is in the best interests of Kennecott stockholders. Even now, in its proxy soliciting material. Curtiss-Wright admits "it has not made a detailed study of the consequences to Kennecott of its program."

CAUTION

You should know that the "program" disclosed in Curtiss-Wright's proxy soliciting material is in our judgment based on misconceptions and cannot be achieved. We will shortly be sending you additional information concerning Curtiss-Wright's "program" and its misconceptions. For example, the "program":

 Ignores the fact that the proposed distribution of the sale proceeds of Carborundum could not be accomplished without presently resulting in an event of default under Kennecott's new \$450 million loan agreement.

• Ignores the application by Kennecott of \$235 million of proceeds from the sale of Peabody to the reduction of indebtedness and consequently overstates, by at least that amount, the portion of such proceeds still available to Kennecott.

• Asserts that Kennecott could continue or finance its metal operations after the proposed distribution of the sale proceeds of Carborundum, but ignores the fact that if the "program" were to be implemented at this time your Company would then have virtually no current earnings, a negative cash flow from its remaining operations, over \$600 million in indebtedness* and a net worth reduced by more than \$600 million — and all this at a time when the copper industry continues to be affected by extremely adverse conditions.

*On the assumption Carborundum is sold for its purchase price and the difference between that and the distribution is met by borrowing.

Based on the above facts we do not believe that the opposition slate deserves your support.

Within the next several days we will submit to you our plans and prospects for Kennecott's future and the important role we expect Carborundum to play in assisting Kennecott to realize that future for the benefit of all stockholders.

If you have previously signed a proxy for the opposition slate, you have every proper and legal right to change your mind. Remember, only your latest dated proxy counts.

Regardless of the number of shares you own, it is important that they be represented at the Annual Meeting. To assure that your vote is counted for the Management nominees, please sign, date and mail the BLUE Management proxy. Thank you.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors Sincerely,

WILLIAM H. WENDEL
President

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FRANK R. MILLIKEN
Chairman

April 7, 1978

Any stockholder desiring a copy of the 1977 Annual Report or Management proxy materials is requested to contact the Office of the Secretary at (212) 687-5800 (collect) or D. F. King & Co., Inc., at (212) 269-5550 (collect).

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Output Off, Orders Fall **Bonn Says**

Metal Workers Settle For 5% Wage Rise

BONN, April 12 (AP-DJ)—A harp tumble in February in two ey West German economic indicaors, industrial production and orer inflow, confirmed for some ank economists the government's 5-percent growth rate for 1978 ill not be attained.

But while seeing signs of slower rowth, they do not yet see any ring-term trend developing.
The industrial ontput index slid a easonally adjusted 3.4 percent in ebruary from January.

After a steady uptrend in the in-lustrial orders from July through December, the index fell 8 percent n January from the previous nonth and a preliminary 4.5 perent in February. The first two nonths were off a seasonally adusted 7 percent from the last two nonths of 1977.

"Under no conditions can we exect a 3.5-percent growth rate this ear," one economist said. The deline in the indexes "just reflects that we've been saying all along," nother economist said, "the govrument has been overly optimis-

The fall in order inflow in the irst two months of the year reflectd an equal slip in domestic and oreign demand. The domestic-or-ler index had declined 10.7 percent n February from its end-December evel while foreign orders were off 1.6 percent from end-1977.

As for developing trends, the conomists said it is still to early to nake any predictions, pacferring nstead to await first-quarter esults. The Economics Ministry ook a similar stance saying that first-quarter figures are, as a rule, subject to large revisions.

The production index stood at 114 base 1970) in February, down rom 118 in January but unchanged rom a year earlier. Manufacturing output fell 3.5 percent and investment goods production fell by 5 percent following a revised 2.5-per-

ent drop the previous month.
The decline in the index for new orders was a result of a 6.6-percent decline in domestic orders, the min-istry said. The index stood at 153 in February, against a downward-revised 160 in January, but was up

1.3 percent from a year earlier.

Domestic orders were up 2.1 perent from a year earlier while foreign orders were up 1 percent for the month and 0.5 percent for the

In other news, workers in the netal industry, public service and colkswagenwerk plants settled

Metal workers unions accepted a i-percent wage increase retroactive o Jan. 1 for 1.72 million workers in Yorth Rhine-Westphalia, Hesse, Chineland-Palatinate and Saar-

In Stuttgart, negotiators for 2.2 nillion public-service workers accpted a 4.5-percent wage increase. Volkswagenwerk and union regotiators in Wolfsburg agreed to 15-percent wage increase for the ompany's 106,000 employees in ix domestic plants. The agreement till has to be approved by the metd workers union's tariff commis-ion, scheduled to meet Friday.

French Output Up

PARIS, April 12 (AP-DJ)--Inlustrial production in France rose 1.8 percent in February from the previous month, the Economics Ministry said today. The seasonally idjusted index, which excludes the construction industry, rose to 127 rom 126 the previous month

Economics Minister Rene Monosaid the rise confirms the counry's industrial production is stabi-izing and that the decline regisered at the end of 1977 has been made up. He remarked that month-ly indicators have recently shown a noticeable upswing in output in all sectors of industry.

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Economic News Analysis

U.S. Shifts Economic Priorities

By Edward Cowan

WASHINGTON. April 12 (NYT)—In his address yesterday on fighting inflation, President Carter elevated that task, along with shrinking the country's appetite for foreign oil, to top priority on his list of economic problems.

By omission, he was saying that unemployment, which has fallen substantially in the last year while inflation was showing a tendency to accelerate, can no longer be the paramount concern of economic

By promising to veto the Talmadge-Dole farm bill, by clamping a 5.5-percent lid on October's pay boost for federal workers and by favoring increased cutting of trees on federal lands to expand lumber supplies. Mr. Carter was sure to incur the ire of farmers, the 2.8 million federal employees and those environmentalists who have successfully opposed

more tree cutting.

Mr. Carter's relations with organized labor, which have been strained, cannot be calculated to improve as a result of his insistence on voluntary price-wage restraint. A labor official reacted with a sour "nothing new" when asked his reaction to the speech.
"Labor has already shown considerable restraint,"
the official said. 'It's time for some prices to come

The biggest risk of all shouldered by Mr. Cartersome would say he had butle choice—is that his remedial measures will be seen as a fizzle. Early re-

sults cannot be expected, say administration economists, because inflation is "embedded in the very tissue of our economy," as the President put it.

Any acceleration of inflation in the next few months could lead the public, labor and business to conclude that the malady is too virulent to be cured to the content of th or that Mr. Carter does not know how to doctor an

Within the government, Mr. Carter was praised for recognizing, however belatedly, that he had neglected fighting inflation and that in this battle symbolism was important. To underscore his appeal for "sacrifice for the common good," Mr. Carter has announced plans to meet with a dozen prominent business leaders, possibly April 20, and with labor leaders at a later date. To pursue this task of persuasion, Mr. Carter tapped Robert Strauss, his chief trade negotiator, to be his "special counselor on inflation," a fancy title for backstage arm-twister. Mr. Strauss has won considerable admiration from the White House staff for knowing how to cajole and house he asserting.

and how to be assertive.

There was also praise for Mr. Carter's promise to have Cabinet officers and the Council on Wage and Price Stability tackle so-called sectoral problemsthe particular causes of inflation in health care, food, bousing transportation, energy and primary metals. This approach was seen by liberal Democrats as more constructive than the traditional medicine of slowing overall economic growth and accepting higher unemployment, an approach Mr. Carter

However, for all of the widely shared satisfaction within the administration with the speech, there was also a fair measure of disappointment about what it omitted. The general burden of these comments was that the President had refrained from embracing any of several innovative approches that have been under discussion for a year or more.

One was the offer of federal revenue-sharing to

one was the oner of rederal revenie-staring to states that reduce sales taxes, a direct way of bring-ing down consumer prices. Those who have recom-mended such an approach, despite some serious problems it poses, noted that Canada announced such an arrangement with the provinces on Monday.

Also missing was any reference to reversing the rising trend of social security payroll taxes and to using income tax incentives to reward noninflation-

ary price and wage decisions.

Implicit in Mr. Carter's speech was an issue that he did not acknowledge: to break a deeply embedded cycle of wages and prices chasing each other some groups in the economy must forgo "catch up" price or wage boosts, because it is the "catch-up" process that drives the cycle. That implies that some—farmers, federal workers, perhaps the least skilled in service and manufacturing lines—will suffer a loss of real income, or purchasing power.

Citicorp Yen-Bond Issue Seen Blocked

ticorp is interested in floating up to 25 billion yen (about \$114.4 mil-lion) in 10-to-12 year unmortgaged yen bonds in Japan, but several ob-stacles will probably block the

move for at least two years.

According to Citibank vice-president Michael Jensen, the holding company bad discussions last month with Finance Ministry representations they are the procession of the procession resentatives about the possibility of issuing such a bond,

However, opposition by local banks to a foreign bank floating bonds is strong. The government only permits the three long-term credit banks and Norinchukin Bank and the Bank of Tokyo, the designated foreign exchange bank,

to issue long-term bonds.

Also inhibiting Citicorp's move is opposition from the securities in-dustry because it views banks selling bonds—government or pri-vate—as an infringement into their

territory. Before commercial Japanese banks could seil bonds, a major overhaul of the bank classification system to allow all banks to compete freely for all kinds of funding would be needed, a government of-ficial says. Until then, "it is unlike-ly that any foreign bank would be allowed to float a bond here," he

ing sources say, bowever, that such bonds have a much better chance of getting approval from the minis-try than a foreign bank, because though they note most corporate treasurers are still unlikely to ac-

in yen. They note that such borrowing would enable foreign banks to
participate in yen-denominated
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TOKYO, April 12 (AP-DI)-Ci- tion is already very severe for such now carry a 100-percent reserve re-

lending.
Citicorp also is concerned whether the Finance Ministry—if it approves the issue at all—would allow unmortgaged bonds, which ussually are not allowed in Japan. Another problem, Mr. Jensen notes, is whether the ministry would allow unrestricted use of the

quirement to discourage short-term inflow of funds.

Separately, underwriting sources said Sweden will sign Friday an agreement to float 40 billion yen in long-term bonds. Final terms have not been set, but the bond is likely to have a annual coupon of about 6.3 percent and maturity of about 12 years, less than the 15-year term yen funds raised in Japan, noting 12 years, less than the 15-year to that free-yen deposits by foreigners requested by Sweden they said.

Big Board Prices Mixed

British Budget

allowed to float a bond fiere, he said, adding little progress is expected for at least two years.

Only one U.S. company, Sears, Roebuck, has made inquiries into the possibility of floating yen bonds, although another U.S. bank is reportedly interested. The issue would be the first U.S. private-sectors were bond in least 1 linderwritten. tor yen-bond in Japan. Underwritthere are no legal barriers. Al-

cept the possible exchange risks for momentary interest-rate advantag-Japanese hankers also question whether a foreign bank could make any profit by borrowing long-term

Disappointment over International Business Machines' report that first-quarter earnings were \$4.01 a share against \$3.81 a year up from 24.3 million shares yester-

Stocks Plummet In Reaction to

LONDON, April 12 (AP-DJ)— Stock and bond prices plummeted here today as analysts came up with a negative assessment of the Labor government's 1978-79 budg-

et announced yesterday. Commentary from prominent brokerage firms and banks was skeptical about the prospects of the government attaining its angovernment attaining is an-nounced targets of 3 percent real economic growth and annual infla-tion rate of 7 to 8 percent through

the end of next year.

The Financial Times industrial index plunged 10.2 points in one of its sharpest falls this year to close at 460.2. "It was quite a bloodbath," one broker said.

Bond prices closed at 1978 lows as short-dated issues fell about half a point and longs by as much as 1½ points. Dealers said there was some overseas selling. Sterling eased to \$1.8765 from \$1.8775 a day earlier with the Bank of England reportedly giving the pound some support.

NEW YORK, April 12 earlier stopped a morning rally (Reuters)—Prices closed mixed on the New York Stock Exchange in heavy trading today.

Disappointment over Internative was off 3.89 at 766.29.

day. Analysts said the market's reluctance to give more ground after the IBM report was in itself encourag-

IBM's results are no reason to

panic, most analysts say. They will make no immediate changes in full year earnings estimate until they assessed first-quarter results more closely. Still, the earnings were more than 45 cents a share lower than the control of the than several analysts had predicted. "Nobody should panic about the results because IBM is in the begin-

ning of a new product cycle and this normally occurs at the start of such a cycle," an analyst said. IBM fell 1% to 238%.

Cutler-Hammer was most active and up 1% to 42%. Koppers Co., up % to 22%, bought 10 percent of Cutler-Hammer stock. Tyeo Labo-ratories, which has 15 percent of Cutler-Hammer, rose % to 161/2. Burroughs was down 11/2 to 59%. Control Data rose % to 26% on a 20-percent gain in earnings.

American Hoist rose 1% to 18. Prices on the American Stock Exchange closed higher in the beav-iest trading of the year with the market-value index up 0.19 to

Deutsche Bank Net Falls 7.3% for Group in 1977

FRANKFURT, April 12 Turnover rose to a from £629.3 million. Solidated group net fell 7.3 percent to 408 million Deutsche marks in declared divide 1977 from 440 million DM the previous year, the bank said today.

Operating profit rose 23.4 percent after a 12.3-percent decline the previous year, the bank said, al-

though no figures were given. The bank announced last week that parent company net' rose slightly to 282.8 million DM from 280 million DM but the dividend

161.5 was cut to nine DM from 10 DM. A bank spokesman said parentcompany business volume at end-March was 1.2 billion DM lower than its end-1977 total of 78.7 bil-lion DM. He noted interest margins contracted in 1978 but did not 0.56 give a carnings forecast.

Babcock & Wilcox Net Off

LONDON, April 12 (AP-DJ)-Babcock & Wilcox Ltd.'s net profit last year fell 28.7 percent to £15.9 million from £22.3 million the previous year, the company reported

today The lower net was entirely due to exchange losses of £4.7 million against a like gain the previous

The diversified engineering con-cern declared dividends for the year of 5.25 pence.

Contigummi Net Up 152%

HANNOVER, April 12 (AP-DJ)—Continental Gummiwerke's net profit rose 152.5 percent in 1977 to 20.2 million Deutsche marks from 8 million DM in 1976. the company, West Germany's largest tire and rubber producer, said today.

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Dollar Slips IMF Studies Plan to Aid Dollar

By Hobart Rowen

Monetary Fund's executive directors by managing director H. J.

This new amount of SDRs-an international monetary asset creat-ed by the IMF and distributed proportionately among its memberswould not be a net addition to total world liquidity because they would be substituted for dollars now held A lone word of approval came from Premier Takeo Fukuda in Tokyo, who said the President's speech had "clarified the basic U.S.

A feature of the plan, it was learned, is that the dollars traded in for SDRs would be put into a "ster-

ilized" account that could never be touched. The depositing countries,

am of curbing initiation and restricting oil imports."

But his remarks did not prevent the dollar loosing further ground against the yen. After standing at 219.10 yen yesterday, it slipped to 218.15 this morning before recovering slightly to 218.50 yen. Among European bankers and monetary officials there was general regret that the President had missed this opportunity to take more forceful action to defend the

dollar.
"Words, words everywhere, but not an action to chew on," com-mented one Zurich banker, whose sentiments were widely shared by

In Wake of

Carter Talk

Comment Favorably

By Paul Lewis

PARIS. April 12 (NYT)—The dollar slipped again against major foreign currencies throughout the

world today, reflecting widespread disappointment with President Carter's anti-inflation speech

aim of curbing inflation and res-

Only the Japanese

other dealers.

In Frankfurt, the dollar fell to 2,0010 Deutsche marks from its overnight rate of 2,0132 DM. In Paris, the dollar slipped to 4,5313

francs from 4.5490.
Although today's falls in value were not spectacular and markets remained orderly, dealers believe that the currency is condemned to remain weak until decisive action is taken to reduce the bugh U.S. pay-

Meanwhile, a weak dollar is becoming increasingly resented by European leaders who see it as an obstacle to their own plans for economic recovery, which they may now have to overcome by their own efforts since President Carter and Congress appear unable, or unwill-

ing, to take effective action. This is spurring a search for European monetary unification, rooted in the desire to protect Europe from the economic shockwaves sent out by the falling dollar. Whether it succeeds or fails, it will mark a drawing apart of Europe and the United States in the economic, and perhaps in the political, sphere.

SDR to Replace

WASHINGTON, April 12 (WP)—A new scheme to ease some of the pressure on the dollar by creating a substantial new amount of special drawing rights (SDRs) has been proposed to the International any interest from such dollars as any interest from such dollars as they were invested, presumably in U.S. securities.

as reserves by many of the 130 IMF-member countries.

shortage of liquidity, there is no prospect of a "normal" issue of SDRs. The substitution idea would at the one time create additional reserves of SDRs, but hold the level

of total reserves constant.

Mr. Witteveen has not suggested how many SDRs he proposes to

amount would not be token." And secondly, it would ease the pressure on the dollar that arises when nations around the world find that they are holding uncomfortably large amounts, It would be a small step toward relieving the dollar from its solitary role as a re-

serve currency. So (ar, the proposal is looked on favorably by Britain, and with some skepticism by West Germany. Bonn is not sure that the dollars could be effectively sterilized by Mr. Witteveen, and not some day become the source of inflation. All

countries are studying the plan.
It is not clear whether or how the
United States would get a share of
the SDR alloction. This and other details of the scheme are scheduled to be discussed at the IMF interim committee meeting in Mexico City

Carter Takes Issue With Fed on Tax Cut

Mr. Witteveen reportedly has

two objectives in mind. First, the

plan would promote SDRs, which

are now supposed to be at the cen-

ter of the international monetary

system. In as much as the world nt

the moment is not suffering from a

WASHINGTON, April 12 (1HT)—President Carter and Treasury Secretary Michael Blamenthal both took issue today with the new Federal Reserve Board chairman William Miller who told reporters this morning that he would like the federal budget deficit pared through either a three-month delay in the administration's proposed tax cut or a slash in tion's proposed tax cut or a slash in

Mr. Carter said he has no plans to alter his proposal for tax reform and a \$25 billion tax cut,a White House spokesman said.

Mr. Blumenthal told a press conference that he does not favor scaling down or delaying the Presi-dent's tax-cut proposals to hold down the federal deficit. He said the tax measure was a crucial part of the administration's and-inflation program.

Commenting on the dollar and why the United States opposes such ideas as large international loans to help stablize it, the Treasury official said that the administration feels "very strongly" that the way to deal with the dollar problem "is to concentrate on the fundamentals," such as curbing inflation and getting an energy program into effect.

depreciation of the dollar that has concerted predatory practices" hy already taken place as one of the Japanese producers.

adverse factors that could add adverse factors that could add about a half percentage point to the inflation rate by the end of the year "if there is no further deterioration of the dollar." He added that Washington "certainly" does not expect the dollar to decline further against other currencies in the months ahead

While dealing with the funda-mental economic issues, he said "we have ample resources" for maintaining orderly exchange mar-kets. He reiterated the long said ing policy of intervening to deal only with disorderly market conditions. "It's that policy we'll contin-

ne to pursue."

U.S. Drops Inquiry Of Japanese TV Sets WASHINGTON, April 12 (AP-

WASHINGTON, April 12 [Ar-DJ)—The Justice Department has decided to drop its investigation into Japanese television imports. A department official told the Senate Judiciary Committee today that the anti-trust division had found "no basis" for proceeding with a full-scale inquiry into such imports. Zenith Radio and other U.S. producers had contended that japanese producers had engaged in outlined yesterday by President Carter, Mr. Blumenthal cited the gation had found "no evidence of

"We don't think it's desirable to

take other steps," such as arranging large international loans. He said President Carter's plan to limit federal pay raises to 5.5 percent aims to show the administration's willingness to reject man-datory wage and price controls while exhibiting a commitment to restraint in federal spending. He said the 5.5-percent limitation is not necessarily a guide for other

wage and price decisions.

He said the administration is seeking a deceleration of between 0.5 and 1 percent in the growth of the consumer price index. However, be noted that without widespread adherence to voluntary limi-tations it might be difficult to hold increases for the consumer price index at the 6.8-percent level registered last year.



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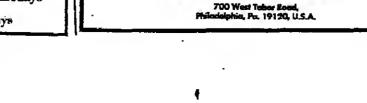
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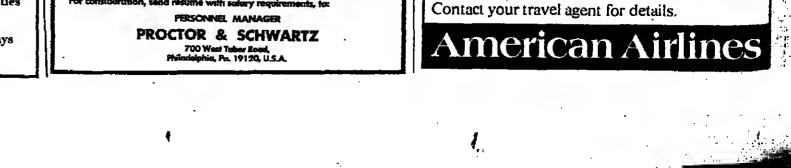
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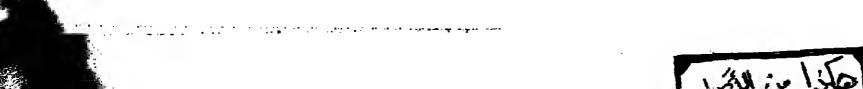
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The net profit of the 1977 fiscal period shows of Fr. 186,989,991,60 compared with Fr. 172,442,018.47 for 1976.

The group's consolidated results represent 513.4 million Fr. compared with 437.8 million Fr. in 1976; the share of Compagnie Financiere in this result shows a total of 411.1 million Fr. compared with 361.4 million Fr. in 1976, which represents-after adjustment to make allowance for the allocation of free shares—Fr. 31.03 per share against Fr. 27.27 for the preceding financial year, or a progression of 13.8%.

The General Meeting approved the payment of a net dividend of Fr. 13.30 per share matched by a fiscal credit of Fr. 6.65 representing a global revenue of Fr. 19.95 per share This coupon, identical to that of the preceding year, applies to an increase in capital—during the course of the fiscal year—from Fr. 1,104,000,000 to Fr. 1,324,800,000 cs D result of the incorporation of reserves and the distribution of one free share for five existint ones, which corresponds, in fact, to an increase of 20% of the distribution. The dividend will be payable as of April 13,

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Year Ended December 31	1977	1976
Revenues	\$1,156,908,000	\$985,584,000
Operating income Net realized gain on insurance investments	\$ 54,617,000 4,008,000	\$ 20,135,000 10,354,000
Income before extraordinary income Extraordinary income – utilization of tax loss carryovers	58,625,000 23,667,000	30,489,000 4,867,000
Net income	\$ 82,292,000	\$ 35,356,000
Per-share information: Operating income Net realized gain on insurance investments	\$6.17 .52	\$1.75 1.41
Income before extraordinary income Extraordinary income	6.69 3.09	3.16 .66
Net income	\$9.78	\$3.82
Fully diluted net income	\$6.04	\$3.55
Average number of common and common equivalent shares outstanding	7,679,000	7.362.000
Per-share computations are after deduction of dividend requirements on the Series C Noncon		2,302,000

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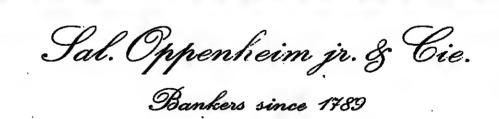
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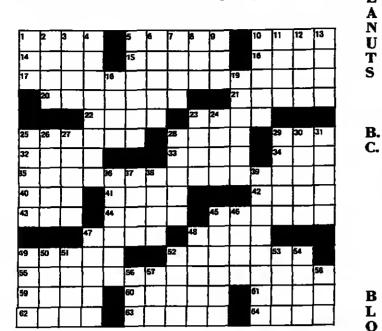
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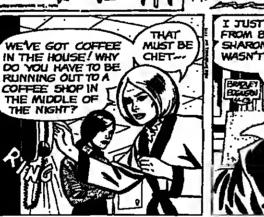
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BOOKS

JANUS A Summing Up By Arthur Koestler, Random House, 354 pp. \$10. Reviewed by Wolfe Mays

A RTHUR KOESTLER is a su-A perb performer. Few can sur-pass the clarity and simplicity with which he can translate complex scientific ideas into common language. Although English is not his native tongue, he is a master of English prose and is a literary ligure in his own right. He is the au-thor of a number of distinguished novels and a multi-volume autobiography. Few writers have tried more than Koestler to bring together the values of human existence with scientific modes of thought. His "Sleepwalkers," dealing with the Scientific Revolution in the 16th and 17th centuries, showed how the great men of science of that period were also human beiogs vexed with all the problems the flesh is beir to. In his "Act of Creation" be drew out with deep insight the similarities between ar tistic and scientific creation.

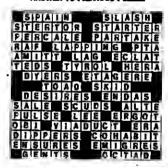
Koestler's new book is a summing up and also a continuation of his writings over the last 25 years on the sciences of life. He covers such topics as his theory of hierarchies, creativity in art and science, behaviorism and evolution, free will and determinism, quantum physics, coincidence and parapsy chology. He remarks that the read-er at times will have the impression of deja vu or deja lu. Nevertheless. the book is not only a valuable and ioteresting summary of these earlier writings, but also cootains fresh material and new discussions of vital issues. Now in his early seventies Koestler's brilliance of mind continues undimmed.

The Janus in his title alludes to Koestler's views that every natural entity or "holon" is, as it were, twofaced: It exists as a quasi-independent whole and also forms part of some larger whole; thus man is both a unique iadividual and part of a social group. This hierarchical order is, he maintains, to he found at all levels in nature—physical, organic, psychological and social—and part of Koestler's objections to determinism is based on this theory. However, when we are told that each such hierarchical level is not simply reducible to a lower level. e.g., that of mind to that of life, one wonders whether this is not a more elaborate way of expressing our ig-

norance on this question. Koestler is critical of reductionism-the view which attempts to reduce human values, meanings and purposes to deterministic structures, and of which he takes behaviorism as a prime example. He is also critical of what he terms the "rationalist illusion"—that everything in nature is explainable. Against this he contends that man's reasoning powers are inherently limited. One may feel sympathetic with Koestler's position here, but this should not prevent us from seeking some rational understand-ing of man and nature, wherever possible-the alternative is mysti-

Consider also Koestler's criticism of B. F. Skinner's behaviorism. Io "Beyond Freedom and Dignity," Skinner protested that

ARSWER TO PREYIOUS PUZZLE



Koestler crupled his name with ; form of behaviorism 70 years out of date. Skinner has a point here: Al-though east in the role of the archpriest of modern determinism, his terminism is not of the mechanistic type and his operant condition-ing is more subtle than earlier forms.

No doubt partly because of his sympathy with the underdog, Koestler is also a strong supporter of what might be termed scientific lost causes—neo-Lamarckiaoism, parapsychological phenomena and acausality—all of which are dis-cussed in this book. It is likely, as Koestler maintains, that the biological establishment has taken a too hard line on neo-Lamarckian theories of evolution. There seems some evidence that such theories may be closer to the facts than is usually assumed. Parapsychological phe-nomena such as telepathy may perhaps lead to the discovery of as yet unknown nonverbal forms of communication. I am more skeptical of the argument that there is an acausal principle, variously termed seri-ality or synchronicity, which is exmatory of coincidental phenome na. We generally oote councidences when they are sufficiently striking to interest us. The ounerous coincidences which occur in our daily lives and excite no interest are usually neglected; for these we look for no explanation other than chance.

Wolfe Mays, reader in philosophy at the University of Manchester and editor of The Journal of the British Society for Phenomenology, is the author of "Arthur Koestler." He is at present visiting professor of philoso-phy at Purdue University. *The Washington Past

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this position:

Oo the diagramed deal, North overcame a bad trump split by careful play. He reached four hearts after rebidding one no trump with a singleton in his partner's spade suit, an action that many experts would favor in preference to rebidding the five-card club suit.

North's rebid of two diamonds, the unbid minor, is treated conventionally in this position by players using "Eastero scientific." Two hearts would be natural but unconstructive, while two diamonds asks South to give preference to spade or show a heart suit. This device placed the contract in the South hand, and West led diamonds, the only suit that had not been bid oaturally.

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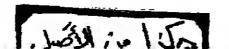
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would not have helped West to dis-card his last spade on the third round of clubs. Dummy would have ruffed, and another spade would have been ruffed. West would overruff and lead o trump. one in the closed hand. The club ace would be ruffed and overruffed. There would be no trumps left, so East would score a spade trick and dummy would take the last two tricks with the diamond ace and an established spade.





Baseball in Cuba, A Grand Passion

By Thomas Boswell

Point life (WP)—The suger cane fields are of the cablaze here, their scorching sweet cterming. the cablaze here, their scoreing sweet of the matter smoke rolling down the barran-ting materials, a sign that the rich, hard the materials a sign that the rich, hard the rich, hard than weeks of harvest have come.

This island has two obsessions,

two sources of sustenance, two because it causes for annual celebration: indending it sugar and baseball.

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Lots of Crowd Noise

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Women beat on 20-gallon tin turnerous air horns, out-

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menology Banners flap above the Pinar conder H. dugout: "Juan Castro, with your home runs, you put rhythm back fessor of the in the dance.

Castro fouls the second pitch into the crowd, "Two sugars on Castro," Sala Manca tells Cuba.
"Now the fish is in the pan;"

The crowd of 30,000 beisbol fanaticos—filling every bench seat in the beautiful, spanking modern stadium—pleads with lines and the castro.

Back Into Play

The precious foul ball that Castro had hit into the stands is thrown back into play. A soft rip-ple of cheers acknowledges the gesture, for baseballs, like many commodities here, are hard to come by. A man in white golves—so that only clean hands will touch the ball—collects the pelota for future use.

The moral mandate to return

fouls is just one Cuban incongruity to northern eyes. All fans get in the stadium free-first come, first seated, Cows graze only a few feet away from the open stadium gates and occasionally must be dissuaded from wander-

ushers, no concessionaires, no hawkers, no panty-hose night, no exploding scoreboards, no unessential public address announce-

The game is the only focus and it is played quickly, usually in two hours or less. Strong, sweet hot tea is passed throught the stands in small cups during the middle innings. A few drink Ca-beza de Lobo—Wolf's Head-beer. But they do it surreptitiously. Baseball is thought to be sufficient inebriation for any Cuban.

Time Out on the Field

The Havana manager, hopeing to squeeze the two-strike tension tighter around Castro's throat, calls a long mound conference with his pitcher, Juan Pedro Oliva, brother of former big-leaguer

The party caucus at the hill is enormous—six players and a manager. But Pinar del Rio shows Havana what a real con-ference is like: all three base runners, two coaches, the on-deck hitter and the manager sur-round Castro at home plate, patting him on the back, giving

the mound. Pinar can have eight at the plate.

Finally, all four umpires—dressed in outrageous rasberry suits so they look like four fat popsieles—congregate on the mound to break up a meeting that now seems to have enough

members for a coup d'etat.
Sala Manca tells the masses
every detail. In the morning at 5
o'clock, the laborers will be back in the cane fields stripping the burned leaves off the cane stalks with their machetes. Until sundown, they will work, often scrambling in mountainside fields. The baseball games at

night are their release, their joy. Sala Manca knows. The Cuban government knows. "Baseball helps the harvest," says that other Castro, Fidel. "It is tied to the heart of our economy."

Around the Horn

When the "Game of the Night" has ended, Rebel Radio will flash around the island, picking up other games in progress until the last out in Cuba has been recorded.

"Will the fish be fried?" asks Sala Manca as the huge confer-ences disperse. "Will it be three sugars on Castro?" Castro lunges at a curve, catching it flush on the fat of his alu-

CLANK! Although his swing was off balance, the lively metal hat and the even livelier Batos hall produce a soaring fly to left field. The white baseball hangs

word, "Fidel." The other is a 40-



Part of the packed stands at the stadium in Pinar del Rio.

foot-high mural of a local revolu-

Cuban crowds never make a mistake on fly balls. It is shame-ful to stand and scream for a fly ball that dies at the warning track. Only Sala Manca is ex-tended the privilege of doubt.

"Se va, Se va (It's going, it's going)," he screams as an estimated total of 5 million Cubans listen.
"Na se va (It's not leaving). Se, se va (Yes, it is)," he plays the catand-mouse game.

The crowd roars. The ball disappears over Fidel's name on the sign. Sala Manca cannot keep his secret any longer.

secret any longer.

"Goodbye, my dear Lolita," he says, laughing to show that he knew it was a grand-slam home

run all the time. So no one cares that a marriage of an aluminum bat, a rabbit ball and a short fence (345 feet to left-center) have combined to

create this moment of madness. Cnbans demand excitement, scoring, base stealing, strategy-therefore, all the conditions of the Cuhan game promote offense. A 1-0 pitchers duel is worse than cutting cane. Fans leave early en masse in disgust.

Cheers Across the Land

A grand-slam like Juan Castro's produces a minute of near-national euphoria. All along the winding 200 kilometers of road from Pinar Del Rio to Havana, people are in the streets. at gas stations, in front of diners, listening and cheering. This ball will not be returned

by the children outside the stadi-

Province" because it has produced great athletes despite its rural spareness, its ancient housing, its legacy of brutal labor in the cane and inbacco fields. It has been a generation since the Vegueros (Green) had a champion. Good players, si. Is-

landwide supremacy, no.

Now they have a champion.

When the youthful Pinar team (average age 23] startled the na-tion by winning the 18-team Ser-ie Nacional in March, there was a holiday in the province. Cane-cutters, with their machetes raised, formed a phalanx of honor in escori the team into town. People rode horseback, the players stacked themselves on jeeps. Beer and rum and pork and dancing filled the streets all

A Further Series

On this night, the greeting for Juan Castro as he runs out his grand slam is a continuation of the same celebration. Pinar Del Rio has moved up into the rare-fied air of the Serie Selectiva— the six-team World Series when the stars of all 18 provincial

Beyond all expectation, Pinar now leads the Serie Selectiva, as well, holding a two-game lead over the menacing maroon-clads

Before Juan Castro reaches second hase, the entire Pinar team has exploded from its dugout and waits for him-not at home plate, but strung out the entire length of the third-base line. As soon as Castro's foot hits third, his hand is grabbed in the first of 25 soul shakes.

At the plate, the three men who were on hase wait with their arms linked around each other's shoulders. They are bouncing as they wait to give Castro his final

It is only the first inning.

(This is the first of two articles.)

The noise in the Pinar del Rio high in the constellation-filled ing into the park. Once inside, the single-deck stadium offers no advertising, no stands is shattering. This has al-ways been called the "Cinderella Caribbean sky, flying toward the only two signs (one says, "Harder work produces better-quality tobacco" and is signed with one

Slugging Brewers Crush Hunter and Yankees, 9-6 orman Thomas hit a pair of two-n homers and Cecil Cooper adda bases-empty homer and a twon double to lead the streaking ilwankee Brewers to a 9-6 victory er the New York Yankees last

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Eastwick, giving the Brewers nine home runs in their first four games, all victories. They have 49 runs and 49 hits in that span.

White Sox 9, Blue Jays 5

At Chicago, Eric Soderholm, Jorge Orta, Ralph Garr and Ron Blomberg all homered, but Chicago needed a threat-killing relief job by Pahlo Torrealba to gain a 9-5 victory over Toronto.

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> At Anaheim, Calif., rookie Roger Erickson pitched a seven-hitter for his second victory and Mike Cubbage and Roy Smalley hit consecutive home runs in the fifth inning as Minnesota posted an 8-1 victory over California

> > A's 2, Mariners 0

At Oakland, Gary Alexander provided the winning hit for the second straight game, a two-run, first-inning homer, and three pitch-ers combined on a five-hitter to beat Seattle.

Astros 1, Dodgers 0 In the National League, at Hous-ton, J.R. Richard held Los Angeles to two his and Cesar Cedeno drove

hind the six-hit pitching of Dave .333 team batting average. Twins 8, Angels 1

4-2 victory.

Giants 3, Reds 2

Francisco a 3-2 victory over Cincinnati, ending the Reds' winning

who touched off a brief beanball war, beld New York to four hits in seven innings, helping Chicago to a

two-out, eighth-inning homer off reliever Dave Tomlin to give San

At New York, Rick Reuschel,

At Cincinnati, Jack Clark hit a

At Atlanta, George Hendrick doubled bome Dave Winfield in

Padres 3. Braves 2

the minth inning and San Diego, with the aid of a triple play in the third inning, edged Atlanta 3-2.

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NEW ORLEANS, April 12 (UI

siana Superdome. The heavyweight boxers actually signed a hlank sheet of paper to ap-

NBA Playoff Games: The Outlook The West

The East

By Paul Attner

WASHINGTON, April 12 (WP)—The Philadelphia 76ers re-act to criticism of their defense like defiant youngsters being scolded for eating too many cookies: The more they are lectured, the more outlandish their defense becomes, even though they realize their chances of winning this year's Na-tional Basketball Association ehampionship hinge almost entirely on how well they play when the other fellow has the ball.

Their attitude drives Coach Billy Cunningham right up a backboard.
"We'll work until we get it right,"
he stormed frequently late in the
season. So the 76ers promptly lost
six of their final eight games and didn't hold an opponent under 100 points the last month of the sched-

"We can't throw a magie switch and play well when we are behind," said 76er guard Doug Collins. "We can't play shootout. We have to furce a team to miss, rebound and run. And you can't run taking the hall out of the net."

Lesson Learned

None of this has been lost on those run-and-gun artists who play in San Antonio Spurs uniforms. They'd just love to get into a showdown with the 76ers in the final of the Eastern Conference playoffs. Even Philly would have a tough

time keeping up with the Spurs in such a wide-open affair. San Antonio hardly will win any san Antonio nardiy will win any ribbons for its defense, but the Spurs aren't quite as weak in this area as they were last year. The Spurs' strength is scoring and everyone—from George Gervin to rejuvenated guard James Silas—can put it in without hinking an eye. They are loose and free, one of the major surprises of the season, and major surprises of the season, and

major surprises of the season, and they are rubbing their hands, waiting far a shot at Philly.

First, however, San Antonio faces what could be a dangerous path to the Eastern final, If the Washington Bullets get by Atlanta in this week's first-round best-of-three series, the Saure and Wesh. three series, the Spurs and Washington will book up in a best-of-seven round that both clubs feel

they can win, Washington has the talent and experience to be a dangerous playoff team, although it imped through the last two weeks of the schedule with inconsistent performances, poor defense and injuries. The Spurs and Bullets split their four games this season, each win-ning in heir home court. And San Antonio would have the home-

Anionio would have the nome-court advantage in the see. Philadelphia shouldn't have many problems with either Cleve-land or New York in the other sem-ifinal, The Knicks don't play much defense and can't keep up with the 76ers' firepower. The Cavs' slowdown approach can be pesky hut Cuningham's depth—he can hring the likes of Lloyd Free, Darryl Dawkins and Steve Mix off the bench-should eventually wear

down Cleveland.
The pressure will be on Cunningham no matter what oppor team meets in the playoffs. He replaced Gen Shue five games into the season for one reason: to win an NBA title. Although the club appears happier with his casual. friendly approach than with Shue's more distant philosopoby, the players remain just as unpredictable. For example, they had a chance to catch Portland for the NBA's best record the last month of the season and Cunningham felt sure they would begin playing well. Instead, they sat back and asked Julius Erving to carry them. He couldn't and they wound up winning only three

more games than San Antonio. Spinks and Ali Sign

NEW ORLEANS, April 12 (UPI) Leon Spinks and Muhammad Ali signed papers here yesterday for a Sept. 15 rematch in the Louisian and th

prove the first championship bout



nix to get a rebound in the opening game of the playoffs.

Bucks, With Late Spurt, Top Suns in First Game

PHOENIX, Ariz., April 12 (AP) — Marques Johnson, with 10 points, and Bryan Winters, with 8, paced a 32-point Milwaukee fourth quarter that gave the Bucks an 111-103 victory over the Phoenix Suns in the first game of a two-out-of-three National Basketball Association playoff series here last night.

Milwaukee, trailing all game, caught Phoenix at 85-all with 10:04 to go in the fourth quarter. The Bucks outscored Phoenix 16-6 in the first 6 ½ minutes of the fourth quarter to take a 95-89 lead. The Milwaukee lead shot up to 103-91 with 2:02 to go. Phoenix narrowed it to 103-97 with 1:34 left but Winters and Johnson connected once again to put the game out of reach.

Walter Davis led Sun scorers with 31 points while Paul Westphal contributed 20. Winters had 31 points for the Bucks, Johnson 24

Walton Most Valuable ST. LOUIS, April 12 (AP) - Bill Walton, the center for the Portland Trailblazers, was named player of the year in the National Baskethall Association yesterday by the Sporting News.

In a poll of 176 NBA players, Walton was the "overwhelming"

choice for the honor, a magazine spokesman said. George Gervin of the San Antonio Spurs, who captured the NBA scoring championship this week, was runner-up in the voting.

Walter Davis, who placed third in the balloting, was named rookie of the year, with Marques Johnson runner-up.

Flyers Score in Overtime To Defeat Rockies, 3-2

PHILADELPHIA, April 12 (API - Center Mel Bridgman stuffed in a rebound shot 23 seconds into a sudden-death overtime period to give the Philadelphia Flyers a 3-2 victory over the Colorado Rockies last night in the first game of an opening-round playoff series in the

and Dave Meyers 22.

National Hockey League. Bridgman carried the puck from behind the net and fired a shot at goalie Doug Favell. The puck re-bounded back to Bridgman and he

The Flyers outshot Colorado, 42-18, before the game went into over-

put it into the net.

in other playoff games: Sabres 4, Rangers 1

At Buffalo, Gil Perreault, Rick Martin and Josh Guevremoni each scored a goal and an assist as Buffalo defeated New York, 4-1, Don Edwards held the Rangers off until Sieve Vickers deflected a pass from Dallas Smith into the net at 2:35 of

Red Wings 5, Flames 3

At Atlanta, center Vaelav Nedomansky led a three-goal Detroit onslaught during 2 minutes and 40 seconds of the opening period as the Red Wings beat Atlanta, 5-3.
The Red Wings took a 4-0 lead after the first period, led by Nedo-

mansky, who assisted on the first two goals and scored the third past goalie Dan Bouchard. The Flames closed to within one goal midway in the final period, but Detroit added its final goal with one second left in the game when Andre St.

Laurent hit an empty net.

Maple Leafs 7, Kings 3 At Toronto, George Ferguson, who scored just seven goals during the regular season, scored three in a 7:33 span of the third period, leading Toronto 10 a 7-3 rout of Los Angeles. Defenseman ian Tumbuli added three assists for the Maple Leafs, who played an aggressive. hard-hitting game and kept the Kings scoreless until Pete Stemkowski connected at 9:41 of the

WASHINGTON, April 12 (WP)—Seattle SuperSonic fans should be patting themselves on the back today. If it weren't for them, their club—which is considered by many the longshot choice to win the league title— probably wouldn't be in the playoffs.

When those fans stopped showing up for home games in November, the Seattle front office decided a coaching change was necessary. So out went Bob Hopkins and his 5-17 record and in came Lenny Wilkens, who guided the Sonies to a 42-18 mark the remainder of the

season. The Sonies are no flukes. They proved that for all 10 see when they won at Los Angeles last week in a game the Lakers desperately need-ed to overcome Scattle and gain a homecourt advantage in the

Better at Home

Instead, Seattle holds the home court edge against the Lakers in the best-of-three match-up. And unless Bill Walton returns in a healthy state, the Sonies also may hold an edge over Portland if those clubs

meet in the next round. Walton hasn't strited up since early March when first one foot and then the other began hurting him. He says now that he isn't "spirtually able to play ver" but he will have until at least Sunday, and

prohably tonger, to get that prob-lem straightened out.

A properly mutivated Walton makes Portland nearly unbeatable, even with Bob Gross sidelined until early May, But injuries have so de-cimated the club that it could take Coach Jack Ramsay a while to re-gain the continuity that made the Trail Blazers so impressive the first four mounths of the season.

Beyond Their Means

And Seattle doesn't give an op-ponent much room for error, Wilkens somehow has prodded players like John Johnson, Gus Williams and Marvin Webster to their best seasons as pros. He uncovered Dennis Johnson, one of the league's best defensive guards, persuaded veteran Fred Brown to accept a substitute's role and brought along rookie forward Jack Sikma so well

that Sikma now is a rebounding and scoring threat, While the Sonics finished strong-ly, the rest of the West stumbled. Denver annually runs out of energy by playoff time and the thin Nuggets stayed in form this season. Everytime it appeared Los Angeles was on the right track, the Lakers would break down defensively and lose, And Phoenix went through a horrendous slump that even Walter Davis and Paul Westphal coudn't cure. The result was that only five victories separated No. 6 Milwaukee from No. 2 Phoenix by season's end. The West playoffs should be just as close, as long as Portland stays mortal.

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ST. LOUIS, April 12 (UPI) — Guy Lafleur of the Montreal Canadiens has been named National Hockey League's player of the year in a poll of player by the Sporting News. It also said Mike Bossy of the New York Islanders had been named rookie of the year.



American League Cuts the Sting of the Double Play and Beanball

By Red Smith

NEW YORK, April 12 (NYT)
-Those Turks and infidels in the American League, where they have never repented profaning the tem-ple by changing baseball to a 10-man game, are going even further this year. Until further notice, the pivot man on a double play must have the ball in his hand and a foot on second base when he makes the force-out, and the runner going down to second may no longer de tour into right field in carve up the shortstop like a Christmas turkey, Moreover, if the pitcher on Team A sticks it in the ear of a batter on Team B, the pitcher on Team B may not retaliate by parting the

hair of a batter on Team A. Evidently, nothing is sacred in Lee MacPhail's tong for the phantom force-out, the cross-body block at second and the pitch that keeps the hitter loose are hallowed institutions. There was a note of sadness in Bill White's voice when he remarked on the air during the New York Yankees' opening game in Texas:

"Pretty soon a player won't be

able to do anything. You can't even

throw at hitters any more." And

that was a hitter speaking, not a

DITCHET.

to his left, which took him well outside the base path. Chambliss had been retired, but that didn't mean his responsibilities were ended. Playing baseball as he was taught, he took a sharp right and hurled himself at Campaneris's knees. With his legs cut from under him, the shortstop was unable to throw to first to complete the dou-

hie play. As it turned out, he didn't

have to. Pursuant to Rule 7.09 (f).

the umpire called the batter out

Right at His Knees

In fact, it was so easy that Cam-paneris had time for two full strides

paneris for an easy force.

along with Chambliss, retiring the The rule reads that it is interference when "any batter or runner runner shall be declared out for the interference of his teammate."

American League umpires were he is equally familiar with the old breaking with tradition by enforce and honored practice of cutting the ing rules as they are written. Chris legs out from under the middle Chambliss was on first base with man in double plays. When he was one out and the score I-all in the a second baseman in this league, top of the fifth inning. Bump Wills, runners routinely kicked him into playing second base for the centerfield and occasionally a set of Rangers, fielded a double-play grounder and threw to Bert Cam-zatch.

The Bag Is the Target The Yankees' dandy little mana-

ger seemed genuinely appalled when he cantered out to protest that Chambliss hadn't even pulled a knife on Campaneris. The dialogue wasn't audible on television. hut no doubt the umpire told him that although a collision might be inevitable when the infielder is straddling the bag, runners no longer could pursue their quarry across the county line to break up the double play. They must slide for the bag, not the fielder, and when Chambliss hit Campaneris neither could have touched second base with a fungo stick.

Actually, Martin already knew this. The league office had notified all clubs in writing in February that who has just been put out hinders or impedes any following play being made on a runner. Such 7.09 (f) as written. The notice furrow, umpires would apply Rule 7.09 (f) as written. The notice further advised managers that if they had any questions on this point on It was a play in the Yankees'

It goes without saying that Billy the phantom force-out or the balk opener that let it be known that Martin is familiar with the rule, but rule or the tightened restrictions re-It goes without saying that Billy the phantom force-out or the balk

garding knockdown pitches, an umpire would be assigned to explain matters in training camp. MacPhail called all umpires to New York in mid-February. Billy Hunter represented managers at

the meeting. Haywood Sullivan of

Boston was delegate for the general managers, and Dick Butler, the league's supervisor of umpires, submitted a summary of complaints and suggestions that be had received during the last year. Everybody realized that the bodycheck at second and the phantum force-out were companion pieces. In double play situations, umpires have called the runner out at second if the ball got there before he did, even though the infielder may have made his throw before

stepping on the bag or stepped off before he got the ball. "When they

make the runner go for the bag and not me," infielders have said, "I'll

take care to have the ball when I

step on the bag. Until then, I've got

to move fast to avoid amputation." Accordingly, the memo from

Change in Site GETTYSBURG, Pa. April 12 (AP)—The 1978 world weightlifting championships, originally scheduled for Iran, will be held instead at Gettysburg College here. league headquarters included a no-tice that both rules would be enforced henceforward. As to the prohibition against throwing at hitters, the league has merely taken another step along the well-trodden path

Under the heading "intentionally pitch at the batter," Rule 8.02 (d) begins as it did last year: If, in the umpire's judgment, such a violation occurs, the umpire shall warn the pitcher and his manager that another such pitch will mean immediate expulsion of the pitcher." For this year it was also provided:

toward righteousness.

"At the same time the umpire shall warn the opposing manager that such an infraction by his pitcher shall result in that pitcher's expulsion. If, in the umpire's judgment, there is another such pitch during the game by any pitcher, the umpire shall eject the pitcher from the game," If the teams have been exchanging death threats the umpire may warn both before the

game starts.

change had to be approved by the Players Association, which doesn't have final veto power but can postpone such amendments for a year. The language this year represents a compromise because when much stricter terms were proposed a year ago, the players said no. They like

Under the basic agreement, this

NHL Hails Lafleur



Art Buchwald

Tax Fantasies

WASHINGTON—Many magazines have been doing articles on sex fantasies. It's amazing how many men and women will talk about them if their names are my deductions, and he'll find every their names are my their or order. not used for publication. But it's rare to have anyone admit that they have tax fantasies. After prying and cajoling. I finally got several people of both sexes to tell me their fa-

vorite tax fanta-F.M., 33-yearold divorcee, writes: "It is Il o'clock at night.
I'm home alone
reading Erica
Jong when the doorbell rings. I put on my house-

Buchwald coat and go to the door. 'Who is it?'

Who else would be at your Cohen, holding a satchel in his the washroom. An aide says, 'Don't hand, 'Frieda,' he says. 'I have a feel bad. For him is used to say the says of the washroom and the washroom and the washroom. An aide says, 'Don't say, or say of the washroom are say of the washroom. The washroom is the washroom and the washroom and the washroom. An aide says, 'Don't hand, 'Frieda,' he says. 'I have a feel bad. For him is was a say of the washroom and the washroom and the washroom and the washroom. An aide says, 'Don't hand, 'Frieda,' he says. 'I have a feel bad. For him is was a say of the washroom and the washroom are washroom and the washroom are washroom and the washroom a

"t gasp and clutch the top of my

" 'How can that be?" " Your ex-hushand, at the sug-gestion of his present wife, insisted on paying the income tax on your alimony, even though he didn't have to.' He hands me the money and I faint dead away. When I wake up, Coben is sitting at the table counting out \$3,000 in brand-

L.D., a 30-year-old car salesman, writes: "I have this tax fantasy. maybe two, three times a week, I'm called down to the IRS office for an audit. The agent tells me to bring down all my receipts and

Refugee Appeal

GENEVA, April 12 (AP)—Poul Hartling, UN high commissioner for refugees, yesterday launched a \$12-million appeal to governments to finance programs of relief for 300,000 refugees displaced in the recent conflict in the Ogaden area of Ethiopia.

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erything in order.
"He chuckles and says, 'That's what they all say. Why don't you make it easy on both of us and tell us exactly how much you've cheat-ed Uncle Sam out of this time?' "I say, 'It's all here, every cent I deducted has been verified and ac-

counted for. "'Okay.' he says, taking out his mini-calculator. 'If you want to play rough, I can play rough. He starts hitting the calculator with his fat fingers. It takes three hours. He goes over the figures again and again. He can't find one thing wrong with my tax return. His face is red. There has to be something

"Cohen of the IRS, is the reply.
"How do I know you're Cohen that the return is perfect. He looks at me, opens the top drawer of his

T.R. is a 21-year-old career wom-an who has worked her way up in the stockroom of a very cheap de-partment store. Her boss is known as the "wicked stepmother." Every April there is a hall given hy the store before the spring clearance

The stepmother says T.R. can't go to the ball until she counts all the glass slippers that are still unsold from a previous Cinderella promotion which never got off the

As T.R. is counting the boxes, a fairy godmother arrives with a new dress from Bergdorf Goodman and a diamond ring borrowed from Elizabeth Taylor. T.R. goes to the hall and meets a handsome prince. He falls in love with her, but at the stroke of midnight she has to leave. She loses her glass slipper. After a fuule search he finally finds T.R. in the stockroom and tries the slipper on her foot. It fits.

He confesses he's really not a prince but actually works for H and R Block, the tax consultants. He explains to ber that if they get married, they could save \$345 a year on their income tax. Overcome with the thought of the tax loophole, she says yes, and they live happily ever after.

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Old-New Dilemmas of French Debate

By Flora Lewis

PARIS (NYT)—The difference between "cultivating one's garden," worms and all. the passionate search for a primal innocence of nature, a dehate which has torn French in-tellectuals for centuries, has come to the forefront again. This year is the hicentennial of the deaths of Jean-Jacques Rousseau and Francois-Marie Arouet

(Voltaire). The occasion has prompted a series of theater presentations, publications, and scholarly analyses which conclude that the two contradictory philosophers, whose writings helped fuel the French Revolution 11 years after their demise, are very much alive and still feuding in the spirit of modern France.

In fact, the contemporary di-lemmas of French thought and politics can he traced to the unresolved attempt to accommodate the mordant skepticism and tolerant realism of Voltaire with the romantic idealism of Rous-

Both had an important influence on the thinkers of the American Revolution and, directly or indirectly, on each subsequent generation. But, as a four-page supplement devoted to the two writers in Le Monde reflects, their fierce arguments two centuries ago are roots which still nourish the sharp divisions and paradoxes of France today.

Hundred Years Ago

A hundred years ago, when a celebration was planned in Paris to commemorate Voltaire's centennial, the archbishop of Camhrai sent out a circular calling on the faithful to offer special prayers and masses asking God's forgiveness for this public

blasphemy."
That isn't happening this year. of course, noted Sorbonne Prof. Rene Pomeau, but only because indifference has made irreversi-

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Voltaire

hle progress in matters of religion. Ideology has become the substitute."

Rousseau, with his vision of a perfectible earthly world if only man would return to his natural state of goodness and cast off the corruptions of civilization, remains the more cherished inspiration. Long before Marx, he denounced property as the source of evil and long before Charles Reich, he denounced the appeal to science and learning as the solution to social problems.

The promptings of conscience, the pure instincts of childhood, the avowal of feelings untainted "vain sciences" and "haleful lights," were for Rousseau the proper hase for a happy and healthy social system.

For him, thought was of little value, or even misleading, without incorporation in a complete system, which he considered the way of nature. This natural harmony was to be found by introspection and deduction, since it was to be accepted that God. who created both man and nature, had hy that gesture provided the capacity to understand their proper functions.

Rousseau was no better suffered by the 18th-century ecclesiastical authorities than Voltaire, however, because his system offering the vision of paradise on earth required only man's willing acceptance. Divine mercy was already granted and need not be implored.



Rousseau

The search for solutions in systems of thought, to be im-posed on the recalcitrant and the hostile, remains the mainspring of French leftism, usually anticlerical. The dream comes first and the fact is ordained to fol-

The very completeness and self-assurance of the Rousseauist approach, with its promise of wiping out oppression, inequali-ty, meanness and unhappiness, winds up as the nightmanish theory of totalitarianism, argues Guy Lardreau in his contribution to Le Monde's supplement.

Indeed, the recent French elections, in which the Communist and Socialist allies were rejected, showed that a little over half the country did not trust the workings of the dream, however much Frenchmen have accepted the theme of Rousseau's "social

Voltaire's malicious wit was no less observant of human foihles than Rousseau's righteous indignation, but he drew the opposite conclusion. Badness is as profoundly human as goodness, he noted, so much so that it isn't always so easy to he sure which is which. Since pursuing the argument to the point of compuision is more likely to burt people than to resolve the dilemmas of philosophy, in Voltaire's view tolerance must be society's His approach still has less appeal to the French imagination, but far wider application in practice. The arts and sciences which comprise civilization were for him the means for gradual refinement of an originally bes-tial or barbarian humanity. tgnorance, not innocence, was the characteristic of failing to ac-quire knowledge, whether by lack of aptitude or by stuhborn unwillingness to see the evidence of reality.

And since reality has many faces and truth reveals itself in contradictory facets. Voltaire urged reason as the necessary arhiter and the freedom that comes only with tolerance as the necessary climate for an acceptable society.

The solution he presented to his hapless Candide, after disastrous adventures with every kind of absolute belief and disillusion with every proffered panacea. was to cultivate his own garden instead of trying to make the world look better by standing on his head.

In their own lives, neither Voltaire nor Rousseau lived up to his prescriptions. Voltaire fulmi-nated vehemently against his opponents and was crass enough to attack Rousseau by means of character assassination in an anonymous pamphler. But his attack was based on fact. Rous-seau, the idealizer of childhood and proclaimer of man's innate moral purity, had abandoned his own five children to destitution while he lectured the world on how best to bring them up.

Little has changed, the scholars found. Neither philosopher is obsolete, in thought or deed. Both, struggling still for predominance in the minds of Frenchmen and indeed much of the world, are essential elements in the struggles which continue, Rousseau, who died at 66, and Voltaire, who died at 84, are young still on the 200th anniver-sary of their demise,

PEOPLE: Yul Brynner Makes Plea for Gypsies

The actor Yul Brynner, honorary president of the Second World Romany Congress, has called for an end to discrimination against his fellow Gypsies, and said he would ask Kurt Waldheim, secretary-general of the United Nations, for backing of a proposal to give Romany Gypsies recognition as a character patients. separate national minority. Brynner, whose mother was a Romanian Gypsy, spoke at the conclusion of a four-day meeting of Gypsies from 22 nations, held in Geneva. "I am a Gypsy through my mother and through my soul," he said, and read a declaration calling for reparations from West Germa-ny for the half-million Gypsies said to have been killed by the Nazis. He also called for an end to strictures against nomadic Gypsies in Western Europe. "Travel they must," said the actor, on vacation from his starring role in "The Kiog and I" on Broadway. For Gypsies, he said, travel is "part of the spirit of the renewal of life in the present." present.

Chronic drowsiness apparently was a major contributing factor to the decision of former first lady Betty Ford to enter an Alcohol and Drug Rehabilitation Center at Long Beach Naval Hospitol. The drowsiness was blamed by a family spokesman on the combined side effects of various drugs that Mrs. Ford, 60, has been taking for acute arthritis and a pinched nerve in her neck. "She was troubled hy drowsiness, hut she's n fighter and she didn't like that at all," said Robert Barrett, executive assistant to former President Ford, adding: "She can't really raise hell in that condi-

Evel knievel, whose more than four months in jail were marked by run-ins with officials, has been released two months early for good behavior. Knievel, who served the time for assaulting television executive Sheldon Saltman with a baseball bat, now must untangle a web of civil action in the same case, says publicist Stan Rosenfield. Knievel termed the attack on Saltman revenge for allegedly libelous material contained io a book Saltman wrote after working as a promoter on Knievel's unsuccessful rocketcycle leap over the Snake River Gorge in Idaho. Saltman filed a civil suit. Knievel filed a libel suit.

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returned by commercial airline California, ending their first re tion outside of the state since h on resigned the presidency. This is stepped off the plane for New York directly into a water limousine in Los Angeles for drive to their home at 5 Clemente, about 70 miles to south. They smiled and waves television cameras but ignor reporters. They visited old frim Charles (Bebe) Rebozo and Rob Abplamalp in Florida last week their daughter, Tricis Nixes of and her husband in New York as ing the weekend. Although the Ni ons had made a few trips outsi the San Clemente estate visit friends, Nixon's only previous parture from California since resignation was to attend the fun al in Washington D.C. of Sen. bert Humphrey.

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